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Proposed Central
University Library





Serial story of the boy next door

THE NAME could just as well be Walt or Jim or Bob or any other. And, of course, the fifth entry really hasn't been written yet. But it will be—and we hope to have a hand in making it come true.

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A Million-Dollar Campaign

It may seem strange to alumni that so soon after completing the campaign for the Student Activities building they should be asked to make yet larger contributions to a general campaign for further endowment and equipment of the University. The strangeness of the times through which we are passing is the explanation. On account of unparalleled war expenditures, money is in greater circulation than ever before in history. Instead of six billions as at the outbreak of war there are now twenty-four billions of currency in the hands of the people of America. Much of this money should be permanently invested in education. At the same time the growing demand for higher education has simply been delayed by the war. After World War I, student enrollment in American colleges increased by fifty per cent. War always increases the demand for higher education. Now that Congress has passed a bill to pay the college expenses of most of the men and women honorably discharged from the armed services of the nation we may expect all our better colleges to be filled to overflowing as soon as peace comes again. Our University must make ready to do its full share in educating the veterans, both men and women, who return from the battlefronts. There are 1,200,000 men in the armed services who left college before completing a degree course and nearly 4,000,000 high school graduates who have never entered college. It is estimated that not fewer than 500,000 veterans will matriculate in college as soon as they can obtain honorable discharge from the services.

In common with many other colleges, both North and South, the University of Richmond trustees have voted that despite all difficulties they must ask the friends of the University for additional money for further endowment and equipment. Our campaign calls for \$500,000 for the erection and endowment of a central University Library; \$150,000 for an additional dormitory at Westhampton College, and \$350,000 for additional endowment for teaching and student aid. Some trustees thought the goal should be \$2,000,000, but the final decision was for \$1,000,000. The General Association of Virginia Baptists has asked the Baptist churches to give the \$500,000 required for the central Library. A campaign in the churches has been organized to this end, with Dr. R. E. Alley, '22, as Chairman. This campaign is being well received and shows promise of complete success.

ALUMNI PARTICIPATION

Many alumni will naturally desire to make their contribution through their local church. This is entirely proper and the gift can be credited both through the church and through the alumni group, if the Alumni Office is informed. The General Alumni Society of the University voted last May to undertake to raise \$100,000 for the campaign. Gifts to this fund may be made in any amount, but it is hoped that many alumni will feel that they can give in proportion to the total amount to be raised. The first alumnus to contribute to this fund wrote his check for \$1,000. The second gave his check for \$500 and signed a pledge for \$2,000. The third signed a pledge for \$2,000, and the fourth signed for \$500. If others do as well there can be no doubt about reaching the alumni goal of \$100,000. The Alumni Committee in charge will send pledge cards to all alumni and prompt response is earnestly requested.

WHY A MILLION DOLLARS?

When the University of Richmond removed to the present campus thirty years ago a library building was erected at a cost of \$116,000, and built large enough to serve the needs of 500 or 600 students. The enrollment at that time was 335. Now there are 2,400 students and 100,000 books instead of the 20,000 we had in 1914. Students have increased sevenfold, and books fivefold. Adequate reading room space is lacking and there should be room for twice as many books. It is proposed to invest \$400,000 in the building and \$100,000 in endowment for the purchase of books.

Westhampton College has insufficient dormitory accommodations for all students who apply. Westhampton should be able to accept 500 students instead of 300 as at present. There should be accommodations for two thirds of this number as boarding students. The present unit of 300 is not economical either from the standpoint of instruction or board. Five hundred is an optimum number and the trustees will probably wish to keep enrollment in each of the University divisions at about this figure. Experience shows that a Dean and faculty can really get acquainted with 500 students.

Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars is a modest sum

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Alumni Day-1944

Alumni Day, Saturday, May 27, 1944, was the third such occasion during the present war. In the minds of many alumni it was the best such day in years. Although the crowd, as was to be expected, was not up to prewar standards it made up in spirit and enthusiasm what it may have lacked in numbers. All that marred the day was the absence of the Alumni Secretary, Joe Nettles, now in the Navy, and of Judge Ozlin, who was ill.

Due to culinary difficulties it was necessary to eliminate the usual luncheon and the program got under way at 1:30 with registration. At that time, and during the afternoon, about 110 alumni were registered.

The Navy V-12 Unit entertained the Alumni with its usual Saturday afternoon inspection and review. Many of the Alumni were able to see for the first time the operations of the wartime unit which has meant so much to the University during the past year.

At 2:30 the Alumni Council held its meeting in the Trophy Room of the Millhiser Gymnasium. Those members of the Council whose terms expired were reelected, with the addition of Frederick Stanley Lusby, as the representative of the Class of 1944. Officers of the Council were elected as follows: President, John J. Wicker, Jr., '16; First Vice-President, W. B. F. Cole, '12; Second Vice-President, Russell E. Booker, '24; Acting Secretary, R. C. McDanel, '16; Treasurer, Robert M. Stone, '30; Executive Committee: R. W. Nuckols, '21, Thomas W. Ozlin, '09, Alfred Dickinson, Jr., '37, and Frank C. Riley, '13.

For the first time in some years we were able to have a regular baseball game at Commencement time. In addition to the fact that the University defeated the Medical College of Virginia (and victory always helps), the game turned out to be a good exhibition of the national sport.

The day was brought to a fitting close by the Annual Dinner in the gymnasium at 6:30. A very respectable crowd of more than a hundred were present and many alumni remarked that they had never attended a meeting at which the spirit was better or the enthusiasm more genuine. The general theme of the meeting was a most encouraging report of the progress of the University for the past year and information about the Million-Dollar Campaign for buildings and endowment. This theme, or perhaps it should be said, these themes, were presented by Dr. Reuben E. Alley, President Boatwright, and Dr. Douglas S. Freeman, in their usual attractive and interesting styles. Dr. Freeman called especial attention to the fact that next year marks the fiftieth anniversary of Dr. Boatwright's presidency, which notable event in itself should assure the raising of the necessary money for the Boatwright Memorial Library.

The Alumni Medal, for the outstanding graduate of the Class of 1944, was presented by William Ellyson, '23, to Frederick Stanley Lusby.

Under the enthusiastic leadership of Boyce Loving, a few "of the few" members of the Class of 1919 were present for their 25th anniversary.

Officers for the Alumni Association for the ensuing year were announced as follows: President, Russell E. Booker, '24; Vice-Presidents: A. B. Marchant, '39, H. Aubrey Ford, '21, and T. R. Sanford, '03; Secretary-Treasurer, C. W. Dickinson, Jr., '05; Athletic Council, R. W. Nuckols, '21; Executive Committee: W. Richard Broadbuss, Jr., '20, and W. Roland Galvin, '26.

The following resolution was presented by John J. Wicker, Jr., '16, and adopted unanimously:

As we meet this evening in safety and comfort, and renew the friendly contacts of our college days, there are many of our brother alumni who cannot be here with us, in person.

Most of them are in the uniform of our country—on land, on sea and in the air, in every part of the world, freely offering their lives to protect and preserve the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; the ideals on which this nation was founded and has grown great; the right of Americans and other liberty-loving people to live their own lives free from the domination and oppression of despotic aggressors.

Some of them have already given their lives in service. Their ashes will forever enrich the far-flung battlefronts where they fought and died that we might live.

Before complete and final victory has been won "Still others will inevitably join that Golden Legion of heroes "gone west."

Now, therefore, be it resolved by this Annual Meeting of the General Alumni Society of the University of Richmond that:

We express our unbounded admiration for all the sons of Alma Mater whose heroic services have contributed and are contributing so much in this world struggle.

We express our gratitude and reverence for those who have made, and those who are yet to make, the greatest sacrifice of all. Their memory will ever be cherished in our hearts.

We pledge anew our devotion to the great and noble cause for which they have given so much. We will strive to live in a manner worthy of them.

Thanks of the alumni are due to President Russell E. Booker and to General Chairman H. Aubrey Ford for a well-planned and thoroughly enjoyable Alumni Day.

—R. C. M.

Westhampton May Day in New York

The New York Chapter held its special spring meeting, an Alumnae May Day in the Westhampton tradition, on May 13 at 40 Jewel Street, Forest Hills. The miniature campus, complete with lake, spread around and into the house with 3 dimensional signs to indicate various college landmarks.

Returning alumnae found a red and blue spiderweb fence enclosing the "upper hockey field" where at booths, decorated in red and blue, they purchased war stamps, refreshments, nosegays and chances on several donated items.

At 3:45 p.m. a hand puppet show, *Chimney Sweeps' Holiday* was performed on the lawn, followed by the Maypole Dance which was directed by Lillian Jung, '42. The dancers were Barbara Sullivan (class of '31's baby cup winner) Lillian, and Bette MacMurtry, '42, and seven local high school girls.

The queen and her two maids-of-honor were selected by a group of Army medical students from L.I.U. The ladies-in-waiting were Bette MacMurtry, '42, Lillian Jung, '42, Bette Kelley, '36, Frances

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The V-12 at Richmond

By LIEUT. J. H. NEVILLE

Many of the alumni and friends of the University of Richmond are aware of the presence of a naval training unit on the campus; but probably very few have a comprehensive mental picture of its organization and purpose. Questions involving why the program was established, whence the trainees came, how long they will be here, what courses they are taking and how long the unit will continue will arise in the reader's mind, and this brief article will attempt to answer them.

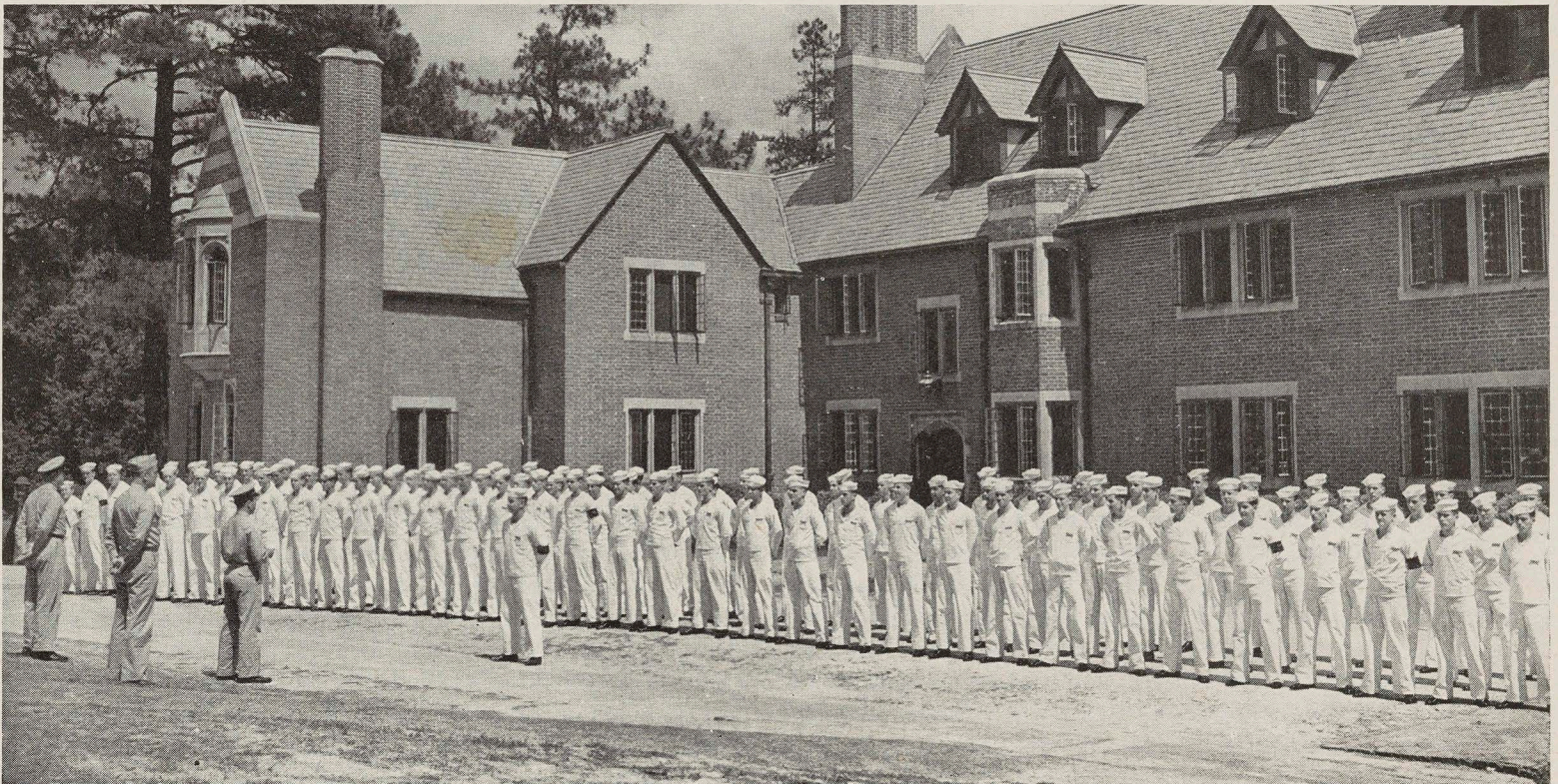
The Navy Department, having need for a continuous stream of well prepared young officers coming into the service, and, realizing that such young men must have sufficient academic training before being commissioned, adopted the plan of taking promising youngsters from among the enlisted men of the Navy and from civil life and giving them that basic scholastic preparation which every commissioned officer should have. When one considers the obvious fact, that, what with all able bodied youths being inducted into the military service shortly after they arrive at the age of 18 years, before most of them have even entered college, he can understand why such a program is necessary in order to recruit satisfactory officer material. According to Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs, Chief of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, the Navy is not keeping these men in college to protect them from danger; it is keeping them in college to man ships which will later join the fleet.

The authorized quota of 400 enlisted trainees allotted to this station is divided into two groups: One including those classified as deck or aviation candidates, of which there are 325; the other comprising those assigned as premedical or premedical candidates, of which there are 75. The length of time the trainees remain varies from two to five terms of 16 weeks each.

Aviation candidates (V-12a) without previous college training, will, upon the successful completion of three terms of college work, be transferred to a preflight school for further training in aeronautics. Those who fail academically are separated from the program and sent to a training station, if they have not had their basic training as an apprentice seaman, or, to a receiving station for assignment to duty if such basic training has already been given them.

The candidates for commissions as deck officers, are given a screening test and reclassification during their second term, and those to be retained in the deck category will remain two more terms (four in all) and, upon completion of which, be graduated into midshipmen's school, where they will undergo a four-month course of instruction leading to the commission of ensign in the United States Naval Reserve. Others who may be selected for higher specialization, such as in the Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps, Supply Corps or Engineering, will, at the end of their second semester, be

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A group of V-12 Trainees at Muster in front of Jeter Hall.

Passed By the Censor

Compiled by ALTON WILLIAMS

Coincidences really happen in the little office at the end of the corridor. The same mail brought letters from Lt. William (Jim) Turkington, '41, from a prisoner of war camp somewhere inside Germany, and from Lt. (jg) Robert A. Keil, '41, from somewhere in the South Pacific.

Jim's card was mailed Feb. 27, and Bob's on March 1.

Bob asked, "If you have any further information about my former roommate, will you shoot it to me. . . . I'm a little concerned about the jerk, though I think it would take more than a few swastikas to put him down."

Jim reports that he is in good shape but a bit homesick. "I'll be back to see you all, so have a big get-together planned."

We're planning just such a get-together, Jim and Bob, and all the rest of you GI Joes, and salty Tars. How about next Alumni Day—come June? Or the way you fellows are giving a chase to the Nazi and Jap, possibly this November—at Homecoming. Maybe William and Mary will have a football team this fall and what a day that would be!

Incidental with Jim Turkington's letter from inside Nazi-land, we had to do a bit of checking before we posted a letter to him. Here are the rules:

Letters to prisoners of war should be enclosed in another envelope and mailed to your postmaster, with the simple notation "Prisoner of War Airmail." The inside envelope, of course, should carry the man's name and address.

The requirement of the outer envelope was ordered so that the letter can be given special handling to prevent it from being postmarked with a slogan such as "Win The War," "V," or "For Defense" or some such. Advice received from Swiss intermediary channels states that mail addressed to American prisoners of war held in certain camps under German control will not be delivered if it bears endorsements or slogans intended to promote our war effort.

In the last BULLETIN we carried the listing of Staff Sgt. Franklin Elwood Northey as missing in action. He has been heard from and is also a prisoner of war in Germany. He was an aerial gunner and second engineer on a flying fortress which was shot down behind the lines.

Major Francis E. Lutz, '14, is with the Sixth Army H'qrs in the Southwest Pacific. He is in planning and operations. He, too, reports that there are no Dorothy Lamours on his tropical isle but says that the Army pest control has about eradicated the mosquitoes and flies from his swamp.

Lt. J. H. Donohue, III, '41, whose wife reported in for him last BULLETIN, sends in this item. "Our unit had just been relieved from combat, the mission being successfully completed. I was assigned duty of arranging food and quarters for the unit aboard ship. On going aboard I was directed to an officer and yes—you guessed it; he was a Spider, namely one William Goode Beville, '42, now Lt. (jg).

"You can imagine our surprise! Needless to say, he arranged everything and the Navy was host to the Army."

Jimmy sent along a snapshot of Billy on "extra duty" but the reproduction qualities weren't in it so we'll just keep it for the files. Major Harry Patteson, '36, U.S.A.A.C. has also crossed Jimmy's path way down yonder.

"The Pacific Fleet couldn't operate without the Spiders" so reiterates Lt. (jg) Garland Kincheloe, '36, after a talkfest with Warren Townsend, '36. The two ran into each other at Brunswick, Ga., after each had covered most of the seas and air over it.

Garland reports Warren in for a bit of rest after two years surface duty in the Pacific. He's a Senior Pilot on the "Blimpy Bags." Garland wrote from an operations office where he was temporarily assigned, but he expected to be on the move shortly.

He also checked in the following Spiders: Corp. Ernest I. Fleming, Jr., '37, is taking advanced course in Army Administration at Ft. Dix; W. Scott Holmes, '37, is now Specialist 1/c in athletics at Naval Air Station, Jacksonville; Staff Sgt. Henderson (Rosy) Kincheloe, '31, is still instructing at Camp Lee, along with Jack Powell, '36.

Lt. J. R. (Johnny) Kellison, '41, is in the Engineers and was stationed in England. In this changing world we can't report the exact whereabouts of you men. We'll only note the direction from which your last letter arrived. With good luck, Johnny should be repairing bridges or doing something engineering (?) right now on the highway to Berlin.

A clip from a local newspaper gives this information about Lt. Col. Harry O. Patteson, '36. He is one of the "Big Four" of the Red Raiders of the Fifth Air Force in New Guinea. He's one of the leading pilots in the South Pacific, participating in 65 raids on Jap installations and is a veteran of three major campaigns—East Indian, Papuan and New Guinea.

His decoration list includes the D.F.C., Silver Star, The Soldiers Medal and the Air Medal, and Oak Leaf cluster in lieu of a second Air Medal.

Col. Patteson was a B-26 pilot on the first Rabaul mission in April, 1942, and has been at it ever since.

Dr. John Tabb Walke, '37, Army Flight Surgeon, is recovering from injuries received in a plane crash in India. He was flown to the Walter Reed Hospital for some delicate operations and skin grafting. His mother reports that he'll be many months in recovering.

Lt. John Quinten (Slip) Madigan, '44, who did some fancy ball carrying during the seasons of 1940 through 1942 for the Spiders, has completed 27 successful combat missions over Axis territory, according to word received here. He is attached to a bomber squadron, flying a B-24.

Ens. Royall Brandis, '40, finds the life of a paymaster rather dull from his cubbyhole, even though cubbyhole and paymaster are out there in the Pacific. He reports crossing Vincent Adams, '40, and Franklin Crouch, '40, in his travels.

Lt. Bartholomew G. Tenore, '36, is the proud possessor

of the Air Medal and two bronze Oak Leaf clusters for work with a P-51 Mustang Fighter group. He has flown his ship "Prodigal Son" on 25 missions over enemy territory, destroying a ME 110 on a bomber escort mission over Bourges, France and sharing in the destruction of two others, one near Berlin and another at Bairritz.

Barty first joined the Canadian Air Force but transferred to the AAF in 1943. (This was from a Pub. Rel. release.)

Lt. (jg) Philip Mason, '42, calls our attention to a "typographical error," so he calls it, in the last BULLETIN. We carried an announcement of his marriage to Lib Lewis. Well, Phil informs us that the event will take place either in July or August, whenever he gets an expected and long deserved leave.

But Phil said the announcement "sho' did look good, tho'." Luck to you, Phil—in getting the leave. You've got the girl as soon as you've gotten the leave, eh!

Evidently Phil is somewhere in the Carribean. His note carries a salute to Prof. Caylor in Spanish. He's on a sub-chaser. Reports Tommy Warriner, '42, Hinton Binford, '43, George (Sheep) Pollard, '40, are stationed near by and Tom Lewis, '40, and John Abernathy, '40, have passed by recently.

George M. Percival, '15, is a Lt. Col. in the Medical Administration Corps, stationed at St. Louis. He is chief of the stock control division which supplies army installations in 18 states.

S/Sgt. Robt. E. Segal, '38, V-mails from England, as does Ensign Melvin Burgess, '42. Melvin went across on the same ship with Mac Pitt, Jr., '42, and reports seeing Lynn Peters, Lt. (jg), '42.

About here we should give a brief for Alumni Secretary (on leave) Joseph E. Nettles, '30. After finishing boot training at Sampson, N. Y., he returned to that post (at the insistence of the Navy Department, you understand) until he was assigned to Lakehurst, N. J. He is now in the midst of a world of wind and weather—studying to be an aerographer. He hopes to get stationed aboard a carrier.

Lt. (jg) Roy Washer, '42, is executive officer aboard a subchaser in the "Splinter Fleet," somewhere in the Mediterranean. He says that the riding is rough but plenty interesting. His outfit has taken part in most of the activities with plenty of hot times. He reports Lou Farber, '40, in the vicinity, skipper of an SC.

The famed 2nd Marine Division has a new recruit and an enthusiastic booster in the person of Lt. William (Billy) Graham, '43. He says it was pretty tough for a second "Looie" to come into the bunch that led the fighting on Guadalcanal and Tarawa but says he hopes to make out somehow.

He is in the specialized message center and will soon be one of the coding officers. His path has been crossed (most of them on different islands) by Robert Moore, '40, a Marine Lieutenant, T/5 Guy Friddell, '43, working as a hospital librarian, John Decker, '42, Ensign in Naval Intelligence. Jimmy Huneycutt, '43, passed near by but he did not see him.

Capt. James (Art) Wagner, '41, has been "down under" for two years, all over the South Pacific. He says he's missed being stationed on Japan proper but expects that soon. Art has tarried long enough in Australia to take unto himself a wife.

The last letter received on the campus from Pvt. W. T.

(Bill) Bareford, '43, he was resting after the strenuous Cassino campaign. Bill writes interesting letters. He gives enough details for us stay at homes to actually picture the tough scrap in which he is a part.

Sgt. Alan Flannagan, '44, takes time out from mosquito eradication (he is on one of those islands) and swamp draining to drop a note. A/C Ben Rouzie, '44, reports that he didn't make the grade as a flyer and has been turned into a ground man for the air corps. That's all right, Ben, your flights of fancy will carry you far and high! He last wrote from Garden City (of all places), Kansas.

Promoted to a Sergeant, Henry L. Snellings, Jr., '38, is with the Ninth Air Force Service Command in England.

George L. Huffman, '32, is a major in the Air Corps, station at Rome, N. Y. Emory H. Anderson, '29, has been promoted to Lt. Commander at the Marine Base, New River, N. C. Lt. E. B. VanLeeuwen, '40, receives his mail at the submarine base at New London, Conn.

Charles A. Watkins, Jr., '42, is ground mechanic for P-51's, at Waycross, Ga. He notes that he was recently married to the former Helen May Norman, of Martinsville.

From London, Lin Johnson, '43, writes of the sights he's been seeing, when he has spare time. His letter sounds like a Cook's tour. His letter was dated May 9—but by now he should be sightseeing in France.

Sgt. Henry E. Redford, '30, is special service officer at the Richmond Army Air Base. Chester E. Barden, '38, is in light artillery, training at Fort Bragg, N. C. Captain Jerome A. Hurwitz, '38, is overseas.

Two Spiders from Trinidad way have been hitting it off. Moody E. Stallings, '41, and Ned Mills, '37, found themselves in the same sector and so they have organized an Alumni chapter of their own. Moody's wife and daughter are living in Suffolk, Va.

News of Lt. Wat Fugate, '32, was supplied by his sister, Elizabeth, W.C., '32. She reports her brother is in the Pacific and also that he is a proud papa—a second son, born in March.

Lt. Leland H. Waters, Jr., '44, is now flying an A-20 Havoc attack bomber. Recently he was awarded the Air Medal for continuous service against the Japs in the New Guinea area. Leland left school at the end of his sophomore year, entering the air force in 1942. On May 24 he'd completed 70 bombing missions and has to his credit the destruction of three Jap planes, one landing craft, a merchant ship and an enemy corvette.

This was reported to the office by Leland Waters, Sr., who supplied the cut.

More and more we are having to depend upon the Public Relations offices for news of Spider exploits. When you men write in, couldn't you be a little more explicit in your information. In other words, don't be modest. Let us know what you've done, where and all the details that'll get passed by the censor.

Pub. Rel. reports that Lt. Daniel Grinnan, '39, has been returned to this country for "redistribution." (That word may sound strange, but we understand the boys get a real and much needed vacation awaiting reassignment.) Dan is a B-24 and B-17 pilot and he flew 33 missions in the 14 months he was stationed in the China-India-Burma theater of war. He and the crew are credited with destroying four

enemy aircraft, and a probable four more, besides 20 on the ground. Dan has received the DFC and the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster.

Also reported was Lt. Clyde W. Ford, '40, at the redistributing center. He has 95 missions to his credit during two stretches overseas in Panama and the Asiatic Pacific. He flies P-39's and P-40's and has won the Air Medal with six Oak Leaf clusters.

Morris Sayre drops a card back to school from a trip out west and records seeing Chaplain John Montgomery Gray, '42, and wife in Los Vegas. Reports he is doing a grand job at the airfield there.

Capt. Stuart Schwarzschild, '38, is in an ordnance outfit in England, so his mother writes in. Major Thomas A. Ligon, '32, is also in that area, with brother E. William Ligon, Jr., '32, teaching pharmacology at the Geo. Washington School of Medicine, Washington, where Dean Pinchbeck is in charge of the Navy V-12 unit.

Lt. Sydney H. Knipe, '44, writes in from the AAF base at Altus, Oklahoma. Syd reports his marriage in April to the former Norma Jean Beck, of Edmond, Okla.

Garland Haddock, '40, is at the h'qrs of the AAF Eastern Technical Training Command where is in the historical section, writing the history of the successes and failures and changes in the technical training program.

Garland says that the history project extends to all branches of the Air Force, home and abroad, and its purpose is to get a full and accurate account of the conduct of the war so that greater operating efficiency may be gained in the future.

Lt. Dorsey B. Ford, '37, is with the marines, stationed at Kinston, N. C. George Rochkind, '40, is with the 51st machine records unit, in New York. Captain Francis Lee Albert, '19, is senior chaplain at Camp Lejeune, N. C. He reports that his daughter was graduated from Barnard in June and was commissioned in the Waves.

Sgt. Ed Sinar, '40, has traded football toga for fighting irons and after 21 months overseas, finds himself on the Island of Corsica. He sends in the news that Edward Herring, '40, has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action.

Charlie Kent, '27, sends word along that his brother Lt. Clarence L. (Mike) Kent, '34, is a communications officer aboard a freighter operating into the hot spots.

Lt. Willard W. Burton, '43, is a navigator for B-24's. Last heard from at Biggs Field, El Paso, but expected to go overseas immediately. He ran into Lt. Al Philpott, '41, in El Paso.

H. A. Dalton, '43, after seven months at sea, is resting at Newport, R. I., waiting for a new assignment. Lt. Dewitt Ellis, '42, also at the same station waiting a commissioning.

Major Walter E. Scribner, M. C., '24, is now stationed at the new hospital at Auburn, California, where he is chief of the X-ray service.

Capt. Carlson Thomas, '40, is still aiding and piloting one of the generals about the country, with h'qrs now in St. Louis. L. A. Boschen, Jr., '32, is with a B-24 squadron in Tennessee, as ground technician. Cpl. Billy Etheridge, '42, is at Camp Stewart, Ga.

Flight Officer Samuel A. Irby, '39, spent almost a year in North Africa, then moved into Sicily and is now in Eng-

land where he is a glider pilot attached to the 9th Air Force. He says that he's seen many interesting places in his travels but has a hankering to return for a big reunion one of these days.

Staff Sergeant Richard Bristow, '41, finds himself in Hawaii "where it rains most any time and many times a day." Says he's enjoying it but misses friends. Hasn't seen any of the Pacific Alumni Association since arriving. Ens. Harry Black, '40, from Atlantic City "where he is going to take root if they don't move me" recently saw Bill Grant, '40, and Lt. Bob Combs, '41.

Lt. Sherwood B. Eck, '43, is instructing in communications at Yale AAFTTC. Pfc. Wilbur Skinner, '44, reports in from Camp Carson, Colo., after completing six months specialized training at Princeton. Pvt. H. R. Mundy, '45, is at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Lt. W. J. Cash, Jr., '40, is disbursing officer aboard the USS *New York*. He frequently sees Wes Boykin, '38, who is disbursing officer at the Fleet Service Schools, Norfolk. Also ran into Lt. Arthur Beck, '40, as well as Bud McCaul, '38, Paul Somers, '37, Paul Saunier, '40, Bob Martin, '39, and Warren Pace, '43. (We know that most of these men carry rank but Bill failed to indicate such.)

The renowned Jack Faiellea, '39, now is the proud papa of a new son, born Feb. 29, 1944 (this makes two, if we remember correctly). Jack sends word that Ens. Harry Lee King, Jr., '36, is in England and that the English girls love "Virginia Gentlemen."

Lt. Commander MacEldin Trawick, '34, is with the Bureau of Naval Personnel, with h'qrs in Washington, attached to the bureau of medicine and surgery. Captain Geo. Rumney, '40, has returned to this country from abroad for a tour of duty as chaplain. He reports that Lt. L. J. Edberg, '38, after having spent a year in Iceland, is now in England with an antiaircraft group.

Captain Mark S. Willing, '42, is back for a rest after 25 missions over Europe as a B-17 pilot. He made forced landings after Schweinfurt and Frankfurt raids.

You'll have to guess the spot on this globe where Lt. (jg) Arthur Beck, '40, is located. His FPO is New York; the letter was posted June 18; and "It is Fall down here."

At any rate Art says the last BULLETIN finally reached him and he had an old home week checking up on all the Spiders scattered around the globe. Reports contact with Lt. Bill Morrison, '39, and dinner with Lt. Joe Wornom, '41.

Dan Sasmor, '43, is out in the Pacific somewhere. He, as many of you did, received his ballot for voting in the Alumni elections somewhat late. Nevertheless, the ballot and letter was a contact with the university and many of you responded with letters.

Grover Cleveland Pitts, '39, was recently commissioned an ensign at Boston. Thomas Austin, '29, received his Lt. (jg) bars at the same station. Captain Earl W. Tyler, '40, of the AAF, dropped out to the U. while home on furlough. George Sadler, '43, was home for a few days after receiving his commission as a bombardier.

Samuel M. Earle, '36, is a captain in the tank destroyers. Lt. R. L. Todd, '37, visited the campus from Camp Santa Anita, Calif.

From Sgt. Albert Saleeby, '45, with a Field Hospital unit

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Another Spider Championship

To make it four in a row, Mac Pitt's Spider ball club dug their cleats into the turf and hammered out enough wins to clinch another state championship. The Spiders started on their string of successive state championships last year when the baseball team won the coveted rating and then went on to become tops in the Southern Conference.

If you talk with Coach Mac, he'll immediately concede that his boys did a fine job on the diamond (as they did earlier in the year on the gridiron and court) but modest man that he is, he'll berate the sports writers of the state for even trying to count championships in these war disturbed years.

His recent remark was that it'd take a Houdini to figure it all out—and that it was hardly fair to count state championships with only four colleges represented in the schedules.

But anyway, Hank Wolfe, sports editor of the *Richmond News Leader*, considers that Mac Pitt has done an outstanding job in handling the Richmond College sports program singlehanded. His only help during the year in developing the teams came from Lieutenant Howard P. Muir, the Navy V-12 physical fitness director, who assisted in football.

This one-man staff has brought home three crowns in the past nine months. And we here at the University know what a headache he had trying to fit practices and even game schedules into the Navy boys' busy routine.

Hank Wolfe records in one of his columns "The Spiders have been successful in 18 of 28 games in which they have competed since last September. As convincing proof that the opposition was not hand picked, Richmond played Duke in football, Norfolk NTS and North Carolina in basketball, Navy and NNTS in baseball."

"Richmond's 1943-'44 records follow: Football, won 6, lost 1; basketball, won 7, lost 6; baseball, won 5, lost 3."

High spots of the present baseball season were the games with Virginia, Navy, and Norfolk Naval Training Station. The Spiders lost the first game to Virginia, at Charlottesville, 2-0, but recouped when they played at the Stadium by the tune of 9-0.

At Annapolis the Spiders faced tougher competition but threw a scare into the Middies by holding them scoreless until the last innings. The same story was repeated when they played the professional-studded NTS outfit. In the eighth inning the score was 4-4.

Outstanding on the team was George Gasser, Jr., second baseman, who paced the team in hitting with .424, and who added his name to the long list of Pitt-coached players to break into professional baseball. Gasser signed with the Yankees, for a reported \$3,000 bonus, and is now getting his first professional workout with the Norfolk Tars, the Class B Yankee farm.

Before the season was finished Gasser had been scouted by most of the big league teams and had been invited to work out with Washington, Boston Red Sox, Brooklyn, and the Philadelphia Athletics. George played cagey, though, and declined all offers and invitations, finally enrolling in Summer School to finish work on his degree. The Yankees must

have wanted him for they were persistent and finally offered the cash along with other inducements. George will be allowed to finish his work at school, playing only on week ends and when his team plays the Richmond Colts in Richmond. When he gets his degree later in the summer he will join the team full time.

Coach Pitt classed Gasser as the best second baseman he ever coached and the outstanding keystone of the team during the spring. Aside from baseball, he was outstanding in football and basketball. He is married and received a medical discharge from the army last year.

Center fielder Linwood Metzger followed Gasser with a .371, with third sacker Jack Null hitting .314.

The pitching mainstay was Bob Kilpatrick. He posted five victories against three defeats. The book shows that he fanned 33 batters and walked 21 in 60 innings.

Statistics are pretty cold things and they don't do justice to the boys in the tight spots. When the club played the Norfolk Naval Training Station they threw a real scare into the professionals. Mac declares that the tough competition brought out the best in the team—and a real team it was. They played airtight ball until the last inning when the Training Station men got lucky and pushed in winning runs, breaking the tie.

Men from the Navy V-12 unit filled a good part of the positions on the team, as they have done throughout the year in other sports. But just because they wear the uniform of the Navy doesn't mean they aren't Spiders; when they slipped into the baseball uniform, with the big R on it, they were a replica of any team that ever sweated out a win for Richmond. And after this war is over, many of those men will return to join the peacetime ranks of our student body.

Mac Pitt's indoctrination makes good Spiders.

—A. W.

Westhampton May Day in New York

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Gottlieb, '32. The maids-of-honor were Sally Davis, '23 and Leone Wicklund, ex '43. The Queen of May, Dagmar Jacobsen, '42, wore a white damask taffeta gown and carried a cascade bouquet of white lilacs and snapdragons. The authentic Westhampton crown, robe, and sceptre were used in the coronation ceremony. Her majesty then led the group to "the Greek Theatre" to see the May Day Play, *Spider Etchings*, which was presented by the Jewel Street Puppeteers.

The program was in the form of the Westhampton College Bulletin. The Courses of Instruction were American Literature with "Edgar Allan Poe" delivering a clever parody called *The Haven* by Robert J. J. Martin, III, ex '42, Eighteenth Century French Literature, Comparative Anatomy featuring Bailey's Beauties, and the pièce de resistance, Mazie Kay and Neighbor Ray, singing and playing the piano.

The festivities ended with the usual lantern parade and serenade under the Queen's bower.

After expenses had been taken out, the club was able to give the Swimming Pool Fund a fifty-dollar war bond and to give Richmond College a twenty-five-dollar war bond. The New York Club plans to have a summer meeting at Jones Beach to welcome the new Alumnae from the class of 1944 into the organization.

A Million-Dollar Campaign

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to ask for endowment, but it will help to make some professors' salaries more adequate and will make it possible to employ additional instructors to care for the steady increase in enrollment. Students at the University of Richmond pay slightly less than half the cost of their instruction and the difference between tuition charges and the cost to the institution must come from interest on endowment.

There is nothing spectacular about these objectives, but they should appeal to thoughtful alumni. If we are to send our children to Alma Mater, as many of us expect to do, we want the University to be staffed with able teachers and to have the best library and laboratory equipment. We know that if the institution is to grow and to command the respect of its former students it must constantly add to its resources. Our dual system of higher education in America safeguards

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democracy. The bane of tax-supported schools is politics. The danger of church-related schools is bigotry, but in this day of enlightenment colleges rarely suffer from excess of religious narrowmindedness. Moreover the church-related college is the champion of liberal education. War stresses the value of vocational education, but democracy must also have liberal education in order to survive. Liberal education is leadership education for both church and state. Such education our University strives to furnish, at a high level and in increasing measure.

F. W. BOATWRIGHT.

The V-12 at Richmond

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transferred to other institutions for training in their special field.

Premedical and predental trainees will continue at this university for five terms and then be graduated into one of the V-12 units in a Medical College. Any such student who fails of selection for medical training, will, if he is physically and mentally qualified, be sent to a midshipmen's school as a deck candidate.

Any deck or premedical or predental candidate who is an academic failure will be separated from the program and sent to a naval training station or receiving station, as will also those who do not have the officer-like qualities required in all candidates. Thus far, about five per cent of the trainees on this station have been separated for academic failure or inaptitude.

In the V-12 program, all types of candidates, except premedical and predental, follow the same academic program for the first two semesters. The courses prescribed for each group for the first two terms are as follows:

PREMEDICAL AND PREDENTAL		ALL OTHERS	
Chemistry	8 hours	Mathematics	10 hours
Physics	8 hours	English	6 hours
Mathematics	10 hours	Historical background of	
Foreign language	6 hours	present world war	4 hours
Naval Organization	2 hours	Physics	8 hours
		Engineering drawing	4 hours
		Naval Organization	2 hours
	34 hours		34 hours

In addition to his academic studies, the trainee is required to undergo a physical- and military-training program which will require nine and one half hours of his time each week.

A new term, the fourth one, is starting on July 1. One hundred sixteen trainees finished their work here at the end of the third term, and were transferred to midshipmen's schools and other V-12 units. They will be replaced by about 125 new ones who are coming from the fleet and shore stations and from a civilian status. This term will end on November 1, and, at that time, an over-all reduction of about twenty-five per cent in the number of V-12 trainees is expected. Whatever changes will be made in the quotas at the close of the term starting then will very likely depend upon the progress we make in the prosecution of the war.

It is felt that the V-12 students at the University of Richmond are receiving excellent training. Evidence of this is in the fact that there are very few failures in midshipmen's school among the men who come from this institution. The administration and faculty of the school can well be proud of the product they are turning out.

Postwar Plans for Westhampton College

The names of WACS and WAVES, as well as those of alumnae in other branches of the service, have been mentioned in this BULLETIN together with certain of their activities. Perhaps some would be interested in knowing any changes that are taking place on the home campus, and what plans are being contemplated to meet the reconstruction period that will follow the close of the war.

There is increased activity in the Departments of Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry in order to prepare for certain industrial and engineering jobs which are now open to women. There is also a distinct movement to bring Biology close to life, linking it with practical problems such as conservation, forestry, *et cetera*. The Psychology Department has more students than ever before, but is in need of more experimental courses, a better equipped laboratory, and more laboratory space.

A committee report to the faculty on postwar curriculum has recommended smaller classes and more intensive instruction in language and mathematics, more classrooms, and more teachers. It emphasizes the importance especially of the spoken language, and suggests courses in Portuguese and Russian, if practical. It was suggested that students should be urged to take American History and at least an introductory course in Philosophy. A need for a course in Anthropology and one in Geography, and the expansion of courses in the Fine Arts was seen as a postwar necessity, especially the continuation of the course in Puppetry was

stressed for use in rehabilitation hospitals, such as the McGuire unit in Richmond.

There is no intention to depart from the tradition of the Liberal Arts College, but it is the sincere desire of both Faculty and Administration to expand and enlarge courses and departments in order to prepare the students of Westhampton College with the finest equipment possible to take an active and intelligent part in the postwar world.

MAY L. KELLER.

Passed by the Censor

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awaiting orders in San Francisco, comes this heartening letter. Somehow this letter says what so many of you men have said in your V-mail, your cards, and letters. But Albert has really been articulate in expressing his sentiments.

"Today, after a great deal of handling and traveling, I received your letter concerning nominees for officers of the Alumni Society and plays for Alumni Day. It is with deepest regrets that I will be too late in rendering my vote, and with still deeper regrets that I cannot attend Alumni Day. However, it is comforting to know that there still exists in some parts of this chaotic world some semblance of fellowship. Your letter brings back to me fond recollections of the generous hospitality of the old school and I know that at this time there are many more like myself who are yearning to get back there."

"It seems that the 'Old Spider' has more significance now than ever before. The Alumni who are scattered all over the Globe each retains a thread from the web and has carried that thread with him wherever he went. In Italy there might be a slight movement of some individual and through the network we on this side of the world receive the vibrations. . . ."

So, we sign off for this issue. We've reported from all letters received in the Alumni Office, and even from letters received by faculty and friends on the campus. Nearly every letter received made note of the material used under this heading. You men want to know where your friends and classmates are. It's mutual.

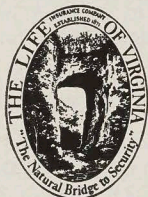
Will you do this? As soon as you've finished these pages, sit down and write us a letter. We'll answer, through these columns, and your buddies of yore will answer. When he reads your name, and remembers the years together on the old campus, there'll be set up a vibration that will reach from Italy, across the beachhead in France, through England and across America, on down to the sweltering isles of the South Pacific.

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Lieut. Leland H. Waters, Jr. with his gunner, Sgt. Johnson.

Ensign Dave E. Satterfield, III, '43, Air Medal, for meritorious achievement during the attack on Japanese forces at Wake Island, October 5 and 6.

Major John P. Crowder, B.S., '37, Air Medal with eight Oak Leaf Clusters, one of them silver, for outstanding aerial action against the enemy in the European theatre. The official citation credited Major Crowder with the confirmed destruction of two Nazi fighter planes and mentioned 69 sorties against the enemy.

Lt. (jg) Charles F. Wortham, USN, 1936-'39, the Navy and Marine Corps Medal, for heroic conduct as a member of a fire and rescue party that went to the aid of a British warship that had been set afire last August in an Algerian harbor.

Lt. Clyde W. Ford, 1935-'37, '40, a P-39 Airacobra fighter pilot with the Thirteenth Army Air Force Fighter Command, the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, for meritorious achievement in combat missions over enemy territory.

Lt. Leland H. Waters, Jr., 1940-'42, the Air Medal for meritorious

achievement in the Southwest Pacific Area. He has completed more than 75 missions over enemy territory in a Flying Fortress.

Captain Herbert C. Allen, B.S., '37, flight surgeon serving with the Eighth Army Air Force in England, the Air Medal for participating in five combat missions over Germany and Occupied Europe.

Lt. M. R. Cooper, 1934-'37, the Distinguished Flying Cross, for extraordinary achievement in combat flights.

Lt. William S. Marchant, 1935-'36, a Thunderbolt fighter pilot, the Distinguished Flying Cross, by an Eighth Air Force fighter station in England.

Lt. John M. Toler, '37, the Distinguished Flying Cross, for participation in bombing missions over France, Belgium, and Holland. He took an active part in the invasion attack on Continental Europe, flying one of the first Marauders of the Ninth Air Force to drop bombs in support of ground troops moving in to establish a beachhead. He was also awarded the Air Medal with one silver and four bronze Oak Leaf Clusters for his participation in 62 sorties. Lieutenant Toler is now a flight commander.

Captain W. S. Kirk, 1939-41, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf clusters, and the European theatre of operations ribbon with one star for a major aerial offensive. On his 25th mission, the last before a visit home, he piloted his bomber home with 200 flak holes in it.

Promotions and Commissions

Ralph W. Allen, B.S., '41, Ensign, USNR.

Harry O. Patteson, B.A., '36, Lieutenant Colonel.

Leonard David Policoff, B.S., '36, Captain, Medical Corps, USA.

Stuart Anthony Eacho, B.S. in Bus., '33, Lieutenant Commander.

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Service Record Column

Beginning with this issue, the Alumni Bulletin will carry a Service Record column. Richmond College alumni are distinguishing themselves all over the Globe, wherever the war and its efforts are being pursued. We, here at the University feel that the records of the men should become a part of our permanent file and that the Bulletin should devote part of its space to recording distinguished records.

Our only source of information is the local papers and public relations releases from the armed services. Many Richmond College men live in other cities and states. We do not have a clipping service to obtain news stories of these men and many times the public relations offices do not include all men. We want information about every Richmond College man who is in the service.

We need name, rank, and address, for our files. We need letters from the men themselves for use in the Passed By The Censor column, and we want news stories that cover the deeds of our fellow Spiders.

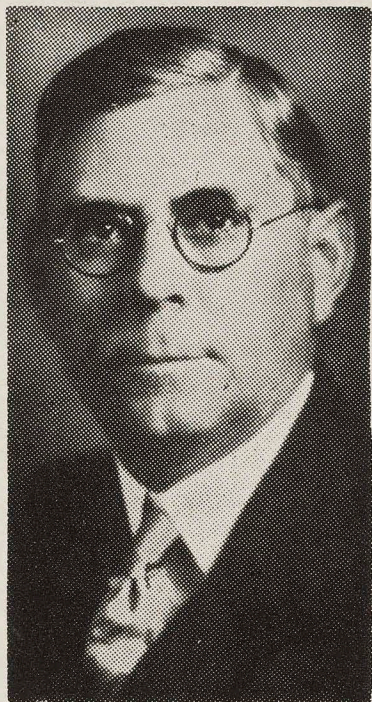
Possibly the best source for this material is from families and friends of men in service. Send us newspaper clippings, letters, or any information you possess.

And from you men we want the same. If modesty disturbs you, pass the word along to the public relations officer.

WE WANT INFORMATION ABOUT EVERY SPIDER IN SERVICE. PLEASE HELP US TO MAKE OUR PERMANENT RECORD COMPLETE.

Thomas W. Ozlin

In the death of Judge Thomas W. Ozlin July 14th the University of Richmond lost a distinguished alumnus and an active and valuable trustee. Judge Ozlin graduated in 1909 as president of his Class and received both the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws degrees.



He had come to Richmond College to study law, but he exhibited such qualities of clear thinking, industry and character that he was advised by his professors to take a full academic course as well as the course for his professional degree.

From the beginning of his law practice he was successful. He formed a partnership with two other alumni of Richmond College, Walter S. McNeill, a member of the law faculty, and Edward W. Hudgins, now Associate Justice of the Virginia Court of Appeals. Later Mr. Ozlin was Mayor of his home town of Kenbridge, was a member of the Virginia Legislature and Speaker of the House of Delegates. As Speaker of the

House in the term of Governor Harry F. Byrd, Mr. Ozlin was influential in passing the important road legislation of that period and in the reorganization of the State government. His legislative record brought him statewide recognition as a wise and capable public leader. Shortly thereafter he was elected to the State Corporation Commission, where his continuing service during the past decade has been characterized by hard and faithful work, actuated always by an earnest desire to do full justice both to the State and to the individual.

Judge Ozlin held many positions of trust and honor, but he was never happier in civic service than when he was contributing time and effort to the upbuilding of Alma Mater. He gladly recognized that the University of Richmond had been an important factor in qualifying him for a large place in the life of his State and he was ready to show his appreciation at every opportunity. He was elected to the presidency of the University Society of Alumni, to the chairmanship of the Alumni Council, and to membership in the Board of Trustees. In all of these positions he worked faithfully to promote the prosperity and to increase the effective service of the University. Recently he was active as a member of the Alumni Council in raising the \$100,000 fund for a Student Activities building. At the last meeting of the Board he was appointed a member of the trustees' committee to raise \$1,000,000 for further building and endowment.

Alumni all over Virginia will recall with pleasure a tour Judge Ozlin took throughout the state in 1940 to visit all Alumni Chapters. He furnished his car for the trip and in company with the President and needs of the institution to Alumni groups from Norfolk to of the University and the Alumni Secretary he presented the work

Bristol. The alumni of the state after that tour were prouder than ever of the abilities and public service of their able fellow alumnus and were ready to elect him Governor of Virginia. At one period he thought seriously of entering the gubernatorial race, but later decided against it. Many believe he could have been elected and they are equally sure he would have made one of the best Governors the Old Dominion ever had. His public career reflected honor upon his family and his Alma Mater and will be an inspiration to other students of the University of Richmond through the years that lie ahead.

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Service Record

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Charles Joseph Gambill, B.A., '43, Second Lieutenant, USMC.
 Hack Urquhart Stephenson, Jr., B.A., '31, Captain, USA Medical Corps.
 Thomas Kearney Vertner, '30, Captain, USA.
 Arthur H. Taylor, B.S., '38, Lieutenant, Army Medical Field Service.
 Thomas J. Wiley, 1936-'40, Lieutenant, Air Transport Command, India-China Area.
 William Henry Brauer, 1937-'41, Lieutenant, Fifth Army Air Force.
 William A. Rothenberg, 1943, Second Lieutenant, USAAF.
 William Haven King, LL.B., '36, Lieutenant (jg), USNR.
 Edwin B. Johnston, B.A., '40, Captain, USA.
 Joseph A. Alexander, Jr., B.A., '36, LL.B., '38, Lieutenant, USA.
 Meno Lovenstein, B.A., '30, Lieutenant, USA.
 George Sadler, 1939-'43, Second Lieutenant, USAAF.
 William Moscoe Huntley, 1922-'27, Lieutenant Commander.
 John Marshall Moseley, B.S., '30, Captain, USA.
 George Hamer Spears, 1935-'39, Lieutenant, USA.
 Francis Henry Robertson, B.S. in Bus., '32, Lieutenant, USAT.
 Thomas Paul Parsley, LL.B., '29, Major, USA.
 Jesse Mabry Johnson, LL.B., '22, Lieutenant Colonel, Judge Advocate General's Department.
 John Edward Hamilton, B.S. in Bus., '32, Captain, USA.
 Virgil Hamlin Goode, '27, Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, USA.
 Morton Pannill Adkerson, 1923-'25, Captain, Dental Corps, USA.
 Richard Austin Farrar, B.A., '40, Major, USA.
 Mark S. Willing, Jr., 1938-'42, Captain, USAAF.
 Hugh Stockdell, B.A., '34, Lieutenant, USA.
 Richard H. Kraft, 1939-'42, Flight Instructor at Tuskegee Army Air Field, Alabama, Lieutenant.
 Samuel R. Orrell, B.A., '23, Captain, serving as Chaplain at Camp Breckenridge, Kentucky.
 Marshall W. Smith, B.S., '33, M.S., '34, Lieutenant (jg).
 Clarence Pirecall Kearfoot, LL.B., '36, Captain, USA.
 Cecil Porter Vaughan, '40, Lieutenant, USA.
 Jesse Hughes Mabry, 1941-'43, Second Lieutenant, USAAF.
 George Andrew Shetter, B.A., '33, Captain, USA.
 Marion W. Jones, B.A., '31, Lieutenant Colonel, USA.
 George Thomas Taylor, B.A., '36, Lieutenant, USA.
 Charles Woodford Mylius, Jr., 1943, Captain, USAAF.
 John Rodman Williams, Jr., Graduate Student, Lieutenant (jg).
 Roland Sylvester Wright, '35, Lieutenant (jg), USNR.

Alumni in the News

1888

Major Edwin H. Gibson, 1887-88, assistant attorney general, who has been associated with the state for the past 22 years, has announced that he plans to retire September 1, and to practice law in Culpeper. He has been attached to the Division of Motor Vehicle as its legal adviser.

1904

The original manuscript of Dr. Douglas Southall Freeman, '04, on "Stonewall" Jackson's campaign in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, is to rest in the West Virginia Department of Archives and History. The manuscript, handled through the Book and Author War Bond Committee, was won by West Virginia and brought \$1,000,000 in War Bonds.

1907

Married: Mrs. George S. Barnard and John Heywood Brothers, 1903-'04, '05-'07. Dr. Sidney A. Slater, '07, Superintendent of the Southwestern Minnesota Sanatorium, at Worthington, Minn., and President of the Minnesota Public Health Association for the past six years, was recently made first Vice-president of the Minnesota State Medical Association.

1908

Henry H. George, III, '08, became Director of Public Works for Norfolk on July 1. In 1933-'34 he was resident engineer on construction of the Lee Bridge over the James River at Richmond.

1916

The Rev. W. H. Brannock, '16, D.D., '40, is celebrating his twenty-fifth anniversary as pastor of the Gregory Memorial Baptist Church in Baltimore.

1917

The Rev. Lynn C. Dickerson, B.A., '17, was nominated for district governor of the 186th district of Rotary International at the recent district conference in Roanoke. After the formal ratification the Reverend Mr. Dickerson will serve for one year beginning July 1.

1919

Lieutenant Colonel Albert W. Coates, 1917-'19, is serving as post chaplain at Fort Eustis.

1920—

The Rev. Clyde V. Hickerson, '20, on June 11 assumed the duties of pastor of the

Barton Heights Baptist Church in Richmond.

1922

Carleton E. Jewett, 1921-'22, recently was elected judge of the Richmond Police Court in the City Council election.

A. B. Rudd, Jr., '22, who has been connected with the rate making section of the State Corporation Commission, has resigned to accept a position with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York on July 1.

1923

George S. Mitchell, B.A., '23, has been appointed Southern director for the Political Action Committee of the CIO.

1927

C. Yates McDaniel, '27, recently visited home for the first time in four years. He is Chief of Associated Press Bureau in Australia and has been serving as war correspondent in the Southwest Pacific Area ever since his extraordinary escape from Singapore at the time of its fall. He was to return to Australia after a visit of a few weeks in Richmond with his parents, the Rev. Charles G. McDaniel, '97, and Mrs. McDaniel.

1930

The Rev. Vernon P. Bodein, D.D., B.A., '30, pastor of the Blacksburg Baptist Church and Chaplain at Virginia Tech, has resigned to accept the pastorate of the church at Iowa State Teachers' College, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Born: Cheryl Jean Pierce, on May 15, to R. Glenn Pierce, B.A., '30, and Mrs. Pierce, in Richmond.

1932

Corporal Louis Krapin, '32, now in England, recently won the shooting championship of his squadron. His brother, Captain David Krapin, '36, is in the Medical Corps, "somewhere in France."

1933

Married: Ensign Christine Ash, WAVES, and Lt. Waldo G. Miles, USNR, 1930-'33. Lieutenant and Mrs. Miles were both stationed at the Naval Air Station, Grosse Ile, Mich., prior to their marriage. Mrs. Miles has returned to her station at Grosse Ile, and Lieutenant Miles is serving in active duty overseas.

1934

Lieutenant Parker William Ingalls, B.S. in Bus., '34, has reported for duty as fiscal

director at the McGuire General Hospital in Richmond.

Married Miss Emma Ellett Miller and First Sergeant Ernest Payne Burgess, 1933-'34, on March 11. Lt. Winston O. Burgess, 1936-'39, was his brother's best man. Sergeant and Mrs. Burgess will be stationed at Harrisburg, Pa.

William W. Seward, B.A., '34, is now at Bessie Tift College, Forsyth, Ga. He was recently named judge for the Published Feature Contest, sponsored annually by the National League of American Pen Women.

1935

Married: Miss Faye Evelyn Frank and Allan H. Lane, Jr., B.A., '35, on March 16, in Richmond.

Roland S. Wright, B.S. in Bus., '35, field director of the American Red Cross at Camp Claiborne, La., has reported to Alexandria, Va., for reassignment.

Ensign Cleveland C. Kern, B.A., '35, M.A., '36, is stationed at Hollywood, Fla.

1936

The Rev. Leo P. Creamer, 1935-'36, was ordained to the Holy Priesthood in May at Trinity College Chapel in Washington. He celebrated his first Solemn High Mass on May 21, in St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in Richmond.

Engaged: Miss Nancy Letitia Peery, daughter of former Governor Peery, of Virginia, and Lt. Claud Minton Whitley, USAAF, B.A., '36, who is stationed at Buckingham Army Airfield, Fort Myers, Fla. The wedding is to take place in the late summer.

Engaged: Miss Sarah Irving Messick, of Irvington, and William Frank Holzgreffe, 1935-'36.

1937

Married: Miss Evelyn Chamblin Murrell and Major John Tabb Walke, of the Medical Corps of the USAAF, B.S., '37, on July 6. Major Walke recently returned from overseas duty in the Indo-China area.

Married: Miss Margaret Muse and Dr. Everett S. Luttrell, B.S., '37, in Albany, Ga.

1938

Married: Miss Marion Eleanor Adams, of Emporia, and the Rev. Edwin Clayton Thornton, Jr., B.A., '38. They will make their home in Glen Allen.

Engaged: Miss Hilda Bloxton Noel, of Lynchburg, and Corporal Samuel T. Schroetter, Jr., 1934-'38.

1939

Married: Miss Dorris Marie Hurt and Harold E. Wiese, 1938-'39, in March, in the Mormon Temple in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Born: Nancy Simmons Brockenbrough on May 23 to Captain Allan Brockenbrough, B.S. in Bus., '39, and Mrs. Brockenbrough, in Richmond.

1940

Engaged: Miss Esther Goldfarb and Staff Sergeant George Rochkind, B.S. in Bus., '40, who is now stationed at Fort Jay, N. Y.

Warren Francis Taylor, B.A., '40, is now at the Baptist Church of New Martinsville, W. Va.

Engaged: Miss Julia Mae Snead and Lt. Alvin Harris, Jr., USNR, 1936-'40. Lieutenant Harris is now with the fleet in the Southwest Pacific.

Married: Miss Edith Reid, of Harmony, N. C., and Lieutenant William McLean Trausneck, B.A., '40, who is stationed at Eustis, Fla.

Carlton Whitlach, B.A., '40, is now pastor of the First Baptist Church of Union, New Jersey.

1941

Married: Miss Margaret Agnes Clark and Sergeant Harry Edward Fainter, Jr., USA, 1937-'41.

Married: Miss Dolly Easley Vaden and William Sanford Terry, USNR, B.S., '41, on June 10. Bill is with the V-12 unit of the USNR at the Medical College of Virginia.

Married: Miss Miriam Franklin Bruce and James Andrew ReMine, Jr., 1939-'41, on April 15.

Married: Miss Florence Elizabeth Leigh and the Rev. Alvin Lee St. Clair, B.A., '41, on June 24. Mr. St. Clair has accepted a call to the Baptist Church at Stuart's Draft.

Married: Miss Frances Stokes Hall and Lt. Bolling Gay Williams, USAAF, B.A., '41, on April 1, in St. Petersburg, Fla. Lieutenant Williams is stationed at Hillsborough Army Airfield, and at present he and Mrs. Williams are making their home in Tampa.

Fung Shiu-Tong, graduate student, 1940-'41, received the Oriental Certificate in June from Crozer Seminary and is continuing graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania.

Engaged: Miss Penelope Anton, of New Haven, Conn., to Lt. (jg) Jesse W. Markham, B.A., '41.

1942

Married: Miss Helen May Norman and Charles Allen Watkins, Jr., USA, B.A., '42, on April 3.

Married: Miss Margery Brewer Goynes, of Chester, and Captain Carl Andrew Janssen, USAAF, '40-'42.

Married: Miss Elizabeth Rogers Davey, of Winstead, Conn., and Lt. (jg) Chauncy Goode Welton, USNR, 1938-'42, Law, '42. Lt. and Mrs. Welton will make their home at Ft. Devens, Mass.

Married: Miss Ruth Blaine Loflin, of Ralls, Texas, to Lieut. (jg) Ligon Lee Jones, USNR, LL.B., '42, on March 18. Lieutenant Jones is now attached to the Seventh Fleet, stationed at San Francisco.

Engaged: Miss Hannah May Rusher and the Rev. William Paul Hepler, B.A., '42,

who is pastor of the Biltmore Baptist Church, Richmond.

Engaged: Miss Helen Louise Mumper and Lt. Robert Hamilton Dunnivant, USAAF, 1941-'42.

Engaged: Miss Anne Middleton Hyde and Alvin Penrose Long, Jr., B.S., '42. Long is now in the Navy V-12 unit at the Medical College of Virginia.

Correction: The last BULLETIN carried an announcement of the engagement of Miss Emily Bliss, WAVES, to Lt. Irvin Lovenstein, of the class of '42. Through error Lieutenant Lovenstein was given the first name of Bernard and the class of '31. The editors regret the error, and appreciate having it called to their attention.

John M. Hardman, B.A., '42, was married on June 6 to Miss Virginia Grace. Dr. Cousins officiated and the wedding was held at the home of the bride in Westhampton.

Married: Miss Anne Rogers Watson Ellis and Ensign Willis Dabney Holland, '42, USNR, on May 20, in St. Andrew's Chapel at the U. S. Naval Academy in Annapolis.

1943

Married: Miss Kathryn Elizabeth Hilliard and Ensign Cecil F. Jones, USNR, B.S. in Bus., '43, on May 25. Ensign Jones was stationed at the Naval Supply Corps School at Harvard.

Married: Miss Lelia Norfleet Gardner and Ensign Robert Morse Hathaway, B.S. in Bus., '43, on June 15, in Pensacola, Fla. Hathaway is stationed as instructor at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola.

Married: Miss Frances Claudia Calisch, B.A., '42, and Aviation Cadet William Rothenberg, Law, '43, on March 23.

Born: Arthur Henry Brown, III, on March 2, to Chaplain Arthur Henry Brown, Jr., B.A., '43, and Mrs. Brown.

Engaged: Miss Edna Gladys Reed, of Bent Mountain, to Pvt. Lewyn Oppenheim, USMCR, 1940-'43, now an officer candidate at the Univ. of North Carolina.

Married: Miss Josephine Roane Ware, of Dunnsville, and Newton W. Ancarrow, 1941-'43, on June 26. Ancarrow is now stationed at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

Married: Miss Ann Harriet Burcher and Warren Aubrey Stansbury, USNR, '40-'43, on June 10. Mr. Stansbury is stationed at the Medical College of Virginia.

Married: Miss Agatha Constance Powell and O. Edwyn Luttrell, Jr., B.A., '43, in June. Mr. Luttrell is now studying theology at Crozer Seminary and also at the University of Pennsylvania.

Engaged: Miss Mary Louise Jackson and Ensign John Cabell Horsley, USNR, B.S. in Bus., '43. Horsley received his commission in June, 1943, at the Midshipmen's School, Columbia, and is now on active duty overseas.

Married: Miss Dorothy Spotswood Quarles and Lieutenant Richard Baxton Nichols, Jr., USAAF, B.A., '43, on May 27.

Engaged: Miss Gloria Allen and Midshipman Robert L. Kent, 1941-'43, who recently spent a furlough at home after six months of sea duty in the South Atlantic.

1944

Earl H. Hamner of '44, while at A.S.T.P. at the University of Kentucky was given a BULLETIN by John Gordon then Earl passed it on to Watkins Rhodes at Ft. Leonard Wood in Missouri, and Watkins Rhodes passed it on to—and they were all pleased to keep it going.



Lt. John C. Davidson, '43, Milton, Del. Killed in a plane crash at the Perry Army Base, Perry, Fla.

S/Sgt. William E. Harrelson, Jr., '37, Richmond. Killed in Italy, March 3. He was a gunner serving with a heavy bomber group.

S/Sgt. Hobart G. Binsted, '39, Accomac. Killed in action over New Guinea, April 26.

Lt. John T. Godsey, '40, Richmond. Killed in action in an aerial raid over Europe, March 8. He was a pilot with the 8th Army Air Force.

Ensign Stephen L. Mitchell, Jr., '42, Martinsville. Killed in plane crash near Martinsville, June 17.

Randolph C. Moore, '31, Crewe. Killed in action over Europe, May 7.

Ensign Winfield Nelms Kyle, Jr., '43. First Richmonder reported killed in Normandy invasion, June 7. He was a skipper of a LTC.

Lt. (jg) Malcolm U. Pitt, Jr., '42, Richmond. Wounded in action with the amphibious forces during the Normandy invasion.

Pvt. William T. Luck, Jr., '45, Richmond. Wounded in action in Italy.

Pvt. Ernest W. Mooney, Jr., '43, Petersburg. Wounded in action at Anzio beachhead.

Pvt. Howard "Mac" Williams, '43, Launenburg, N. C. Wounded in action at Anzio beachhead. Now convalescing at Greenbriar Hotel Hospital.

Lt. Edward Herring, Jr., '40, Richmond. Wounded in action in Mediterranean area.

Major Jack Dobson, '35. Formerly reported missing in action. Now reported prisoner of war.

Staff Sgt. Franklin Elwood Northey. Reported missing but now reported a prisoner of war.

Westhampton Class Notes

1921

Dear Girls,

Another commencement time will have passed, when you read this and I doubt whether those who join our Alumnae Association this year would think we were still "girls," but you and I know better, don't we? Age is "psychological not chronological," isn't it? I am sure we are not so far removed from our college experiences—the final Act anyway—as to forget the excitement of our entrance into the Alumnae Association.

Back in January, I wrote to each of you (all twenty-six of you), and twenty-two of you failed to reply in time to get the news in *THE BULLETIN*, although several letters came in only a few days too late. Though we didn't get a reply from Mildred Rucker, Katharine Spicer sent in her address. She lives at 459 Park Avenue, Collingswood, N. J. I've been planning to write you, Mildred. As yet you haven't gotten a letter, but I will write some day.

Katharine Spicer Edmunds writes from Accomac that the word "newspaper" is the theme song of her family. She says she can't "keep up with a husband who tries to work twenty out of twenty-four hours, a twelve-year-old son whose rate of growth rivals the air forces, and an eleven-year-old whose tongue would stump 'Information Please' experts." She reminds us that May Thompson Evans has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa—and wonders if any other class has as high a percentage—two out of twenty-seven. I can't say but we are glad to know about May! Congratulations! Katharine Spicer also suggests canning as a reducing hint! She says she lost ten pounds at it last summer and was proud to see her girlish figure again.

From New York, came an interesting letter from Stuart Everett Moseley, who with her husband was spending ten days there. Stuart's daughter by the same name is quite a student, makes mostly A's in the ninth grade. Aren't we proud of our class Baby cup winner? Stuart's second daughter, Ann, isn't "still for a moment" and just gets by at school but her mother adds "Stuart makes A's and Ann makes friends" in Columbia, S. C., where the family has lived for twelve years.

Ruth Hoover Lide writes from home (Carloover) where she is looking after 84-year-old father and 78-year-old invalid mother. Her 15-year-old son, 5 ft. 10 in. tall, weighs 160! That weight does sound as if he belongs to you, Hoover, as you say. Ruth does substitute teaching in her spare time. I hear reports from others of what a real community leader Hoover is though she didn't tell me of her activities.

Gladys Lumsden McCutcheon writes from Richmond, that her 17-year-old son is crazy

about being a freshman at U. of R. Gladys lost her husband in 1939. Since then she has been working for the State. Gladys also has a little girl, Eileen, who is in the first grade at school.

Marion Stoneman Oliver has a Lt. Col. husband at the air depot in Middletown, Pennsylvania. Marion occupies her time with the other war wives, centered mainly around the Red Cross activities. She, too, boasts a six-foot son, George, Jr., who is 16 years old. He is quite active in high school.

So far this year, this is news from nine of the twenty-seven, so there are still 18 of you of the class of '21 who have failed to write us. Now, I know you do have something to write and I'm sure you can find time to write a few lines about yourself and how fine your family is. Please do it as soon as you read this.

Just remember we can't put news from you in the *BULLETIN* unless you let us know what you are doing. I'm hoping to hear from you—those who have written, write again and those who haven't—do it soon, won't you?

The best of luck to you all.

Spiderly Yours,

"SIS LITTLE"

(Catherine Little Dupuy).

1922

Dear '22's:

I was so delighted to have some more news from some of you, and some more contributions to the Alumnae Fund. Thanks so very much, Elva, "Rat," Virginia, Valeria, Shippie, and others.

Did you know that "Rat" Hoover has been promoted to a full Lieutenant in the Waves and is now stationed in Pensacola, Florida? Rat has promised to send me a letter about some of her experiences, and I shall surely pass it on to you.

Rebecca Lawson McReynolds has sent a very interesting account of the efforts of the Washington chapter of the Alumnae Association to get high school seniors interested in going to Westhampton. The Lawson sisters and Alice Garnett Thomas, all of '22, along with others of different classes, worked hard in this campaign, and expect to see some additional students at Westhampton as a result of the publicity. Jane Bentley, Gladys Booth Bentley's daughter, went to Washington from Westhampton and made some very interesting talks at different schools. She also showed some slides of campus life, but the girls wanted to see more of the buildings. Rebecca says after hearing Jane's talk and seeing those slides that she is convinced that the same friendliness and democratic spirit prevail at Westhampton. Let's hope that this campaign will bring real results.

Leslie Booker, as Alumnae Secretary, has really been getting around this winter. She has visited the Atlanta, Norfolk, Washington, and New York clubs. In New York, she was the guest of Sallie Davis, '23, at her apartment.

Mary Bristow Thompson, "Rivercrest," Fredericksburg, has been married since 1930, has no family, but is very busy with school and club work. Mary isn't regularly employed, but she says a substitute these days is kept busy.

If you city girls think you are busy you should look in on a farm these spring days! But the baby chickens, the vegetable garden, the flowers, the crops, and the cattle are all doing well, thank you. I proudly watched my son Dicky get three ribbons pinned on some cattle he exhibited recently.

Our sympathy goes to Virginia Richardson, whose mother died on May 10th. Virginia came to Virginia at the time, and stopped by the college campus before returning to Florida.

Send me some more news—and don't forget that Leslie Booker and I just love contributions to the Alumnae Fund. Leslie writes me that '22 has contributed more this year than since we left college. Isn't that just grand? But couldn't we make it grander?

JULIA ROOP ADAMS,

Class Secretary,

Upper Kentland Farm,
Whitethorne, Virginia.

1923

The Class of '23 is proud of its many sons and husbands who are serving with the armed forces.

Lieutenant Colonel Richard Bowen, husband of Elmira Ruffin Bowen, is Executive Officer in a hospital in the North African area. In his absence Elmira is teaching at St. Gertrude's Convent High School and doing volunteer motor corps work with the Red Cross. She also directs a group of Red Cross Production workers at the work room in the Sacred Heart Parochial School—together with the little item of keeping house. Her daughter, Arlington, is a sophomore this year at St. Gertrude's.

Mildred Campbell Broome's husband, Cyril, is Cable Engineer on a British ship somewhere on the Indian Ocean. Mildred plans to accompany her daughter, Barbara, to Transylvania Music School Camp at Brenard, N. C. for six weeks this summer. She will be dormitory supervisor for the girls.

Catherine Johnson Gum's husband, Massey, is an officer stationed at Fort Slocum, N. Y.

Elman T. Gray, Jr., son of Agnes Taylor Gray, is taking an eight-month V-12 course at the University of Richmond.

Irving Knight, Jr., son of Virginia Davidson Knight, has had three years at the University of Richmond and plans to enter the Medical College of Virginia on June 26 in the special class of 42-A.

John B. Spiers, Jr., son of Maxine Graves Spiers, is in the Navy and has been attending Hampden-Sydney College.

Evan Hardy Lacy, Jr., son of Camilla Wimbish Lacy, is in the Navy.

Among the out-of-towners back for the Commencement Alumnae Dinner was Dora Ransone Hartz of Waverly.

Margaret Terpstra Copenhaver's daughter, Janie, has been a student at Westhampton this year.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Altha Cunningham who recently lost her mother.

RUTH POWELL TYREE.

1924

Dear '24's,

I have heard from three of our members since the last issue of the BULLETIN—Virginia Gregory, Estelle Billups, and Bernie Whillock Bowles.

I was so sorry to hear of the death of Virginia's father. She gave up her job in Georgia and came home just before Christmas because of his illness. She stayed in Clover for several months for a much needed rest and then the first of April, she accepted a job in Winchester as director of recreation for the city. Virginia is so capable that I think Winchester is lucky to have her there.

Estelle is still in New York. She has her own dress shop now—a quite exclusive one, I hear—and I know all of '24 is proud of her success.

Bernie has followed her Lieutenant Commander husband to Annapolis, where he teaches Physics at the Naval Academy and she teaches Math and Science in the Annapolis High School. Her oldest son is a freshman at Purdue and her daughter will enter Westhampton next September. She has another son who is still in grade school.

I have enjoyed so much the few letters I have had from '24 and I do wish more of you would write. Let me thank you all for response to my appeal for funds—I am proud of you.

Sincerely,

MARGARET FUGATE CARLTON,
1503 Wilmington Ave.,
Richmond, Virginia.

1926

Dear '26ers,

I have been able to extract information from exactly four of you since my request last Christmas for news of your volunteer war activities. You remember we printed the activities of our Richmond members in an earlier issue.

From Thelma Phlegar Owens, Dayton, Ohio, comes this statement:

"My husband is terribly busy as a chemist (Ph.D., Ohio State) in war work. I have time only for 2½-year-old Donald, the most talkative rascal extant, who can get into more mischief than I can get him out of in twice as long." In spite of keeping up with young Donald she says she has been able to do some canning, and that Grafton is a rabid victory gardener.

And from Gene Edmondson Barney:

"Greetings! Guess you are as busy as we are. I'm doing medical laboratory work. Also

have a Den of Cub Scouts (6th grade boys who meet here once a week); am on the Y.W.C.A. Board; work in the Sunday School and Church . . . *ad infinitum*. . . . Guess you are doing the same kind of things."

On the program for the Inter-American Institute sponsored by the University of Richmond at Westhampton College on April 7, 1944 appears this interesting item:

Great Heroes of South America by Dr. Ione Stuessy Wright, Miami, Fla.

You can imagine how impressed and proud I was to hear our distinguished classmate give one of the most scholarly and entertaining lectures of the Institute. Her lecture was based largely on the research she has been doing in preparation for a biography of Jose' de San Martin. In addition to this small task she has also been Assistant Research Director for the Pan American League (which has international headquarters in Miami) and Director of Program for it this past year. Some of us in Richmond had further opportunities to see Ione when she was entertained for tea in the homes of Miss Lough and Margaret Harlan Hilton.

From Miss Lough, and also from Frances Bell Barnes herself during a casual "bumping into her" at Miller & Rhoads, comes the account of a most interesting piece of volunteer war activity. Frances and Carroll Barnes who live just outside of Charleston, S. C. seem to be operating a small U.S.O. of their own, having set up a perpetual open house in their home. British sailors and officers drop in for a day, a night, a week end and even a week to enjoy the Barnes' hospitality. Frances writes letters to their families back home and receives many answers from appreciative mothers, sweethearts and friends. Needless to say they return whenever they have an opportunity. As Superintendent of an Agricultural Experiment Station, Dr. Barnes has had a number of Italian prisoners helping him. On many occasions Frances has served hot drinks and desserts to them on their jobs, and at Christmas invited them to her home to enjoy a Christmas tree and gifts from the children. Our congratulations to you, Frances, for the most unique volunteer service we have heard about during the war.

We were all so distressed to learn in a letter from Mary Fugate of the death of Henrietta Fugate Crisp in Lynchburg, Va., this past February after a rather long illness.

Please do sit down between the heat waves this summer and write me the interesting chit-chat about yourselves. Remember I cannot make up tales about you—or shall I? When you find the BULLETIN draws a blank for '26, it's because I have too little news to make a letter or none at all. Again I repeat, my address is Mrs. William A. Pennell, 6308 Ridgeway Road, Richmond, Va. Since you will not send me that Christmas card, why not drop me a birthday card? After all I was born in July. Or better still come to see me. A personal interview is much more satisfactory.

With best wishes for a cool and comfortable summer.

MADGE.

1929

Hedgeman Dent Smith arrived in February. His proud parents are Nancy Reynolds and "Patty" Smith.

Virginia Belle Burruss has a son born on May 11th.

Willie Tyree has been in Washington working for the Government since last summer.

Our sympathy to Rosalie Gore Parsons. Her husband passed away in the late winter.

Miriam Figgs Rankin and Ruth Cox Jones are "house hunting" in Washington, D. C. Their husbands are stationed there.

Genie Riddick Steck has purchased a home in Baltimore and will move soon.

Naomi Williams Thomas has a daughter, Ann Lee Thomas, born January 23rd, 1944.

1930

In February Nancy Cassell married Chief Petty Officer Harry V. Kingsley, USNR. Nancy is still teaching in Richmond while her husband is at sea.

Billie Prince Shinnick is the proud possessor of a new daughter, Frances Bray, born April 22. In July the Shinnicks will be moving to Richmond to their home at 311 Albemarle Avenue.

Dottie Smith has been Mrs. Clyde Stone (4304 37th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.) for some time. We are sorry we are late with this news.

Lucy Wright's (Mrs. George Pitts) new address is Milford, Virginia.

Margaret Oliver Saunders, with her young daughter, has been moving about the country with her Navy husband. Latest known destination was Atlantic City.

Sincerely,

ALICE RICHARDSON CONNELL.

1931

The Alumnae Card Party to raise money for the swimming pool fund found quite a number of us back. Mary Faulkner Jordan was up from Urbanna after a winter in Atlanta. Laura Thornhill came down from Charlottesville and Lauretta Taylor Sullivan, here on a visit from Long Island, joined us. Amelia Ullman, Selma Rothschild Mann, and I made up the Richmond group. With two guests, we made up two tables and had a grand time.

Lauretta sees Marjorie Crawford Westgard's son Billy often and says he looks more like Marjorie each day. Lauretta's daughter, Barbara, our class baby, is quite a big girl now.

Last year brought a number of "firsts" to class members: Mary Tatum Franklin, a son, Phyllis Johnson Pope, a son, and "Pris" Church Hite, a son. Future Richmond College enrollment seems to be well taken care of.

Phyllis Johnson Pope and her young son spent the winter in Richmond while Major Pope is stationed at a western air field.

I had an interesting note from Nancy Buxton Cowan. She is living in far away

Sault St. Marie, Michigan and reports she and her family are fine.

Since she missed the 1941 reunion she is making plans for the 1951 affair. She sent her greetings to all.

I see Marylee McCracken and Anne Jones quite often doing U.S.O. work.

I have never been able to locate Clare Cannon or Blanch Byars since graduation. Does anyone ever hear from them? I imagine that some of my present addresses are wrong so how about right now each of you writing down the names and addresses of three or so members and dropping me a card at 408 N. Meadow St., Richmond 20, Va. It may duplicate material but it will be a good check.

Best wishes for all of you this summer and drop me a line whenever you run across any news.

MARGARET LEAKE.

1933

Archie Fowlkes was in Richmond and Petersburg visiting friends and her Mother for Easter. Her address is Terrace Barracks, NAS, Miami, Fla.

Vivian Barnett Warr has a son Robert Boice Warr, born February 13. She has bought a new home and the address is 2015 Marge St., Alexandria 6, La.

Marian West hopes to work in Washington at the Nat. Ed. Asso. again this summer. Her address will be 3901 Connecticut Ave., N.W.

Among those at the Bridge Luncheon were Phoebe Drewry Thiermann, Etta Whitehead Nachman, and Marian West.

The Class of '33 wishes to extend its sympathies to Catharine Seay Spencer at the death of her mother and its joys and congratulations at the birth of a little daughter named after our own Elizabeth.

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Westhampton '34 Holds Tenth Reunion

For awhile it was a dubious question whether we would have any reunion at all. The class of '32 had a bang-up one, then '33 gave up the idea because of transportation difficulties, but we were determined to have some sort of festivity.

We thought that if eight or ten girls appeared, it would be worth the time involved. As it turned out thirteen came back, so we had a wonderful time. Many of us had not seen each other for years, some not since leaving school; you can imagine how many conversations were going on at the same time.

As we registered, identification tags with silver 10's (tin for the tenth anniversary) were pinned on us. We sat at a table especially decorated for us at the Alumnae luncheon Saturday in the Tea Room (that amazing place! We were of the vintage of the Red Cross Building). Later Miss Caroline Lutz, our class sponsor, took us over to see her collection of puppets and their theatres which are now settled in what used to be our old Tea Room. The Foreign Room was a great thrill to us for it is so large and all-embracing. You may remember that she was just beginning to stir up interest in puppetry when we were in school. In the evening, we again had a special table and the Senior Class sprung a surprise on us when they sang our Proclamation song in honor of our reunion. We were all terrified for fear that they would ask us to join in; I'm sure you remember how we always were at singing! Jackie Lowe and Mayme O'Flaherty entertained with a musicale in the reception room afterwards.

On Sunday Miss Lutz had a lovely tea in the new formal garden. This was our only private party and we took advantage of it to catch up on the latest doings of everyone. Ann Wood put the last touch of success on the anniversary when she produced our bankbook with a beautiful balance in it, due to the American Bank. We immediately decided to put it into a hundred dollar War Bond for the Swimming Pool Fund.

Many snapshots were taken during the reunion to be pasted into the scrapbook later. Everyone who answered my letters and was unable to come, sent warm personal greetings to the other girls. Helen Wilkinson Buchanan suggested that we hold a baby show someday at commencement. This year would have been an appropriate time since there are 38 children among us. More statistics show that 30 are married, one deceased, one a missionary, 8 serious career women, and one ex-WAC. We were all interested in seeing what ten years could do to us and we ended up by being very smug about the whole situation. It's always nice to feel self-satisfied and I hope we will feel the same way at the 20th reunion. This report is necessarily general news but I expect to give you specific accounts next time. I think the reunion was a success and I'm sorry the rest of you missed it. We were all in fine fettle and some rare results occurred

—as usual in our class. The scrapbook will remain in the Alumnae Office for one and all to see.

Here's new of some of the other '34's:

Virginia Ellett has been Mrs. Sam W. Webster for several years. He is an undertaker and they live in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Polly Cochran Knobloch (Mrs. Frederick F.) is Superintendent of Public Welfare at Floyd, Virginia. This is the first news we've had from Polly since we left college.

Frances Folkes Blinn is quite busy these days being the colonel's lady on the post at Fort Du Pont, Delaware.

Virginia Sanford Brian writes that she found Louise Newland Capen (Mrs. Carl M.) through the Northern Baptist magazine *Missions*. Louise had written a letter and sent a photograph of herself and two daughters for the March issue. She and the children are living at 521 West 112th Street, New York 25, N. Y., while her husband has returned to serve in South China. Thanks, Sandy. We'll all miss you at the reunion but California really is too far. And thanks again for the class material for the scrapbook.

Margaret Proctor Swetnam will have it known that her young daughter is called *Ashlin*, not Margaret as heretofore reported. Her husband is a marine training at Parris Island.

Katherine Bell will teach at the University of North Carolina this summer.

Helen Wilkinson Buchanan (Mrs. Oscar M.) writes that she a son two years old. Her husband is Postmaster at Kenbridge, Virginia.

GRACE ROWLAND WELLS.

1937

Greetings '37's,

Can you realize that it has been seven years since we left the portals of our Alma Mater? My, how time does fly!

By the way, Grace Elliott was in town not long ago and was asking about the girls in our class. She is librarian at Bryn Mawr, you know.

Louise Thompson Chewing has joined Pat in Hot Springs, Arkansas, where Pat has been stationed at an army and navy hospital. From Louise's letters home "it's quite a town"—perhaps I should say "burg." Anyway, it's certainly not like good ole Richmond.

Nancy Chappell Pettigrew tells me that Tom has received his commission in the Navy and leaves May 27 for Hollywood, Florida. Nancy and son (Tim) will stay in Richmond.

I received a nice letter recently from Jane Carroll Slusser, who is now living in Clarksville, Missouri. She and her son (Bill) expect to remain there until her husband, Lt. Slusser, returns from the S. Pacific. She said that she had heard from Virginia Lee Priddy, who is in the WAC, and she likes it very much.

And now, last but not least—the babies! "Zippy" Gross Tucker has a son, Richard

Stephen. "Zippy" also told me that Mina Karp Moss has a daughter born about the same time as her son. Mina's husband is in the Dental Corps in the army. Betty Allison Briel has a daughter, Suzanne, born in the early part of May. This makes two children for Betty. Lawrence, Betty's husband, is in the Navy and is taking his boot training at Camp Peary in Williamsburg.

Well, that's all the news this time—and you know why. . . .!

Mrs. Booker tells me that our class' alumnae fund contributions have now come in from twelve members. Won't the rest of you sent in your checks right away?

Love,

LOUISE CARROLL.

1938

Martha Byers has been teaching English, Spanish, and Latin in Titusville, Florida, (near Daytona Beach) since January. Her address is 6 Lemon Street.

Caroline Frazer has been Mrs. W. A. Johnson since August, 1943. She is now living in Deltaville, Virginia, while her husband fights in the Solomons.

Virginia Ellis Hkadycz has a daughter, Virginia Anne, born in August, 1943. They have been living in Florida and on the West Coast.

Lula Goode has been Mrs. W. A. Winfree, Jr., since March 23rd. Her address is 307 N. Blvd., Apt. 9, Richmond.

"Sweet" Carpenter and Millie Harrell in addition to their teaching are taking Spanish at night at William and Mary Extension in Norfolk. "Sweet" writes that Frances Flick (ex '38) has a new job in the Engineering Library.

Hennie Harrell Smith has a son, Edward.

Mervyn Lee Judd (ex '38) visited "Sweet" recently. She lives in Alexandria and is working in the War Department in Washington.

Jo Ann Kent (Mrs. Roland Bouchard) has a daughter, Sandra, about one year old.

Molly Fleet gives much of her time to the Red Cross Motor Corps and plans to continue it throughout the summer.

Mildred Gafford Davis does volunteer work at the U.S.O. at the Traveler's Aid desk.

1940

Dear Forties:

This is truly a hard job—to pinch-hit for a swell class secretary like Dell Williams Smith, but, if you keep coming through with the news as lots of you have been doing, I'll do my best until Dell comes back to Richmond. And while we are on the subject of Dell, have any of you heard from her since she went to Knoxville? We miss you lots, Dell! Write and tell us about your life in Tennessee.

There are several weddings about which you may not have heard. Jean Miller, an ensign in the WAVES, was married to Lt. (jg) Harry Yeiser in Greensboro, North Carolina, on December 19, 1943.

Emma Lou Parsons became Mrs. E. Franklin Mallory on February 12, 1944. The wedding took place in the Hanover Avenue Christian Church of Richmond. After a honeymoon in Washington and two weeks spent in Richmond, Emma Lou went west with Frank. We last heard that she was living in Astoria, Oregon, and keeping house not only for herself and Frank but also for two other couples. The other two wives worked and Emma Lou was, therefore, elected to do the cooking and housekeeping. She was planning to go to San Diego shortly, but we don't know whether or not she has gone yet.

Two weeks after Emma Lou's wedding, on February 26, Shirley Bradley and Woody Jenkins were married in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Richmond. Shirley took a thirty-day furlough from teaching, and then later after Woody had gone to New Orleans, she went down and stayed a week with him. He has left the country now and Shirley is back home teaching.

Janet Gresham Manson, Marie Keyser Jordan, and Florence Parker Quin are all working in Richmond now, their husbands having gone overseas. Marie and Florence are both at the Virginia Electric and Power Company, although they are in different departments.

Maude Smith Jurgens and her two children are still living in Richmond in their home on Henri Road although Fred is in the Army now. Fortunately he is at Camp Lee for the present. Keep your fingers crossed that he will stay there a long time.

Dot Roberts is, like Lucy Baird, working at Camp Pickett now. In addition she is taking flying lessons in Roanoke on the week ends. That really sounds exciting, doesn't it? Luck to you, Dot.

Our WAC Lt. Margaret Brinson was transferred from Mitchell Field in New York back to Langley Field where she is stationed now.

Ethel O'Brien Harrington and her son Tor are out in Apache, Oklahoma with husband John who is stationed at Fort Sill. (Ethel writes that she named the son Tor, meaning rock, because her husband is a geologist.)

We have heard that Eleanor Parsons is engaged. Wish that Eleanor or someone else who knows all the particulars would set us straight.

Teeta Burnette Bagby has been out in Texas with Sonny, but she plans to return to her home in Roanoke on May 15. Libby Johnson Alvis is still in California with Frank, but she will probably be returning to Richmond soon now.

And last but by no means least the class of '40 has another son. John Broadus Long, Jr., was born on February 28 to Lt. (jg) and Mrs. John Broadus Long. Just in case you didn't know, Mrs. Long is the former Kitty Wicker. Mrs. Wicker says that the baby is fat, healthy, and very attractive.

Our class has not shown its usual spirit of coöperation in sending in our contributions to the Alumnae Fund. Mrs. Booker said that

she was sure we had just forgotten about it and that a hint to the wise would be sufficient.

We are doing very well in rolling bandages at the Red Cross Production Rooms between Second and Third Streets on Franklin. If you want to see everybody and hear the news long before it appears in the BULLETIN, join us there on Monday nights any time between six and nine. The quota of the work to be produced is increasing all the time, and it is vitally essential that each one of us does her part. Hope we'll be seeing you there.

HARRIETT YEAMANS.

1941

Many thanks to Martha Lillian Beam (she's a technician in the Petersburg Hospital Lab.) for her fine letter telling us about Eleanor Kindell's wedding on May 6th in Sharon Hill, Pennsylvania. We quote:

"Eleanor is now Mrs. Henry Carter Miller. The ceremony was very simple but very sweet. It was performed in the Presbyterian Church. Cart's father was best man and she gave me the honor of being her maid of honor and only attendant. Carter is a research chemist and after a hurried month, some days of packing, a wedding and a honeymoon, they are off to their new home. The address is:

P. O. Box 240,
Lago Colony,
Aruba, Caracao,
Netherlands West Indies."

P. S. Eleanor, much happiness from all of us and please write when you can.

Jean Neasmith Dickinson who substituted in Psychology this last semester for Dr. Astrop has returned to South Carolina and Enders. Sorry we didn't get to see more of her.

Mary Alice Smith had a very unusual day on April 30th. She took her first flight under C. A. P. instruction and then had her first (and last) appendectomy that night. Never a dull moment. However, she's looking very healthy, says she's feeling grand and is back at work.

More wedding bells . . . Alese Hardaway (now in Baltimore) is being married to David Prince—former instructor of athletics in Nansemond County and now an officer in the Naval Reserve—when he gets home on leave. We also heard that Dave had lunch with Madame Chiang Kai-shek not so long ago. Many happy returns and let us hear more about the occasion, Alese.

Carolyn Gary Hugo is still overseas and will be there most of the summer.

The rest of our news this month is a large group of new addresses. Some have gone north, some have journeyed south. And yet there are many we haven't heard from. Won't you please send us even a post card?

Jeanne Wilkins Watson and Margaret Forrer Wren have traveled north—Jeanne to Fanwood, N. J. while Paul is assigned to a

flotilla, and Margaret to New York now that "Woody" is stationed there. Jessie Hibbs Hawk took the proverbial advice to go west and settled in St. Louis. She is in Richmond temporarily while her husband is in school in Lexington. Virginia Omohundro Purcell is living at 320 Green St., Fayetteville, N. C. Ann and Bobby Courtney are residing in Atlanta, Georgia, but not permanently. Last but definitely not least is Betsy Woodson Weaver. Albert was transferred to another branch of the service and they are living at 3226 Durham Rd., Brownwood, Texas.

"That's all, there ain't no more." But there should be much more. All of us are anxious to keep in touch with each member of '41. Send the post cards and letters to 11 Towana Rd., Richmond 21, Virginia, and we promise to give out with the latest and the best.

Happy vacation to all!

HELEN HILL.

1942

Dear '42's:

Congratulations to us! On Alumnae Day, 1942 was awarded the cup for having the highest percentage of contributors to the Alumnae Fund during the past season. And we piled up the highest numbers of dollars, too—\$156.50, to be exact.

Alumnae Day was grand, though there were only a few of our class around. Mary Hoffman, who is now president of the New York Alumnae Club, was down and told us all about a Westhampton May Day a la New York, which her club put on . . . more fun!

Anne Shafer Carey was in Richmond at Commencement time too, but she couldn't be persuaded to stay away from "Teddy" long. By the way, when I gave her credit for having 1942's first grandchild, I hadn't heard about Anne Frank Patterson's young son, who apparently has a good half year's start on Teddy. Trite, but . . . why don't people tell me these things? . . . before they're ancient history.

Frances Calisch and Lt. Bill Rothenberg were married March 21. They've been in Tennessee, where Bill is stationed, ever since. You've probably heard, too, of Lucy Burke Allen's marriage in April, to Lt. Wallace Harold Meyer of the Army. The last I heard, they were in Burlingame, California. Wallace must really be a knock-out—Lucy Burke left a swell job as advertisement copywriter with the McGraw Hill Book Company in New York, just to marry him!

In Richmond, the business gals are going places. Ninita Gonzalez Seavers has a wonderful new job—she's executive secretary for the Southeastern Division of the National Cash Register Company . . . and Lucy McDonough has a grand secretarial job at Reynolds Metals. It's the Vepco for Norma Palmer now, since she finished her course at Pan-American, but her Big Interest . . . well, you know that already. Or do you? She's been wearing William T. Coghill, Jr.'s diamond for quite a while now.

Annie Loie Walker's wedding to Capt. Lot J. Seacat came off on June 17 . . . and did you see Kay Gillelan's picture in the *New York Times* on June 4? Her engagement to Lt. Robert Rennolds Crutchfield, USNR, has been announced, the wedding to be in July.

'Bye now . . . and a wonderful summer!

ROSALIE.

1943

Dear Class of '43

Here I am again, trying to give you the latest facts about yourselves. It is quite a job keeping up with all of you. Why not drop me a line at regular intervals?

First, let me make a correction. Pam Carpenter is not with the British Consul, as I reported, but is doing secretarial work for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. Pam must be a fine secretary if her letter to me was a fair sample of her work. But you know she always does things right.

Those of you who didn't get to May Day were most unfortunate. The Class of 1944 really did a fine job in spite of the rain which necessitated holding the exercises in the Gym. Among those who were there were: Pepper, who has since married Bob in Pensacola, Florida—much happiness to you two! Pudge, who this summer will be a counsellor in a girls' camp in North Carolina; after teaching school all winter—what fortitude! "Little Shell," from whom I haven't heard directly, but who will teach again next year. Fran Beazley, who is now a copywriter for "Thalhimers—Fashion Center of the South for 102 years." Georgie who in her WAVES uniform was certainly looking well. Shorty who dressed up in a big hat, furs, etc.—looked mighty nice, too. (You know she and Cozy are still at Arlington and seem to thrive on it.) Ilse, who so far as I know is still doing secretarial work in Maryland. Johnny, who since her appendectomy seems much better even if Bobby is in O. C. S. and away from her. Mary Elder Pauli, who is back home for a while, since Ed is at Fort Bragg—all of these girls were there, too.

I understand that B. Lewis is in New York. Her father is stationed there. Dolly Garwood is still in Missouri with Dave and is as happy as she knew she would be. Anne Byrd and Rose Koltukian stop in sometimes to see me. They are still in Richmond, Anne B. as a housewife, and Rose with the Richmond Newspapers, Inc.

Helen Ridgeley taught Math and English in the high school at Oxford, Pa. She is planning to go to summer school this year. A letter from Evelyn Flax tells of her life as a housewife in Norfolk. The new name is Mrs. Cyrill R. Mirmelstein. He was a member of the faculty at Medical school before he entered the service.

Barbara Krug has announced her engagement but as yet has not set the day.

Hedy and Reba were living quite close to

each other and managing to visit quite frequently the last time I heard.

Shirley comes home really often and I usually talk with her. She loves her work and also the trips to the beach, etc.

I suppose that Anne Lilly and Elizabeth Webb are really making airplanes now.

Nickey Allman likes teaching and has many funny stories to tell about it. She is going to work in Richmond during the summer.

I think that this covers all of the news that I have, so I'll close with a wish to hear from all of you soon.

MAX WILLIAMS.

An Open Letter to the Class of 1944

May 31, 1944

Dear New Alumnae:

Those four precious years are over. Last night Dr. Boatwright presented to you your hard-earned sheepskins. When you left the Greek Theatre, I imagine that you had several conflicting feelings within your soul—one perhaps of sadness in leaving the beautiful campus on which you have lived during the last few years and those good friends which have contributed much to your life—another of anticipation as you looked ahead to the plans for the future and an opportunity to take your place in this modern world. 'Tis the ending of one of the happiest periods of your life but yet the beginning of larger spheres of service.

You have been graduated not alone into the cold, cold world but into a large family of almost 1400 people who went through the same halls of learning that you did. They are scattered all over the world and with them goes the spirit of our alma mater. We try to keep our large family united not just for the purpose of fellowship but so that we can really play a part in the future of Westhampton College. We wish for those who follow us a better opportunity to prepare themselves for the world that they will find. In order for that to be so, Westhampton must progress and we, as alumnae, are responsible for a great deal of the development that is to come.

The governing board made up of the officers, three members at large and chairmen of the standing committees transacts most of the business of the alumnae association. This board meets at least four times during each school year. We employ an alumnae secretary, Mrs. Leslie S. Booker, '22, who keeps the files up to date, sends out mail, writes the BULLETIN material, plans alumnae-student functions, etc. In order to serve the college, we manage and operate the tea-room and bookshop, maintain a student loan fund and work on a definite project for the school. At the present time, we have two projects—one a \$25,000 endowment fund for the Activities Building and the other a fund to build a swimming pool. Each alumna is asked to contribute to the Alumnae Fund each year. This general fund helps pay the salary of the secretary and the expenses of the association. The greater part of

the surplus in the fund either is put annually in one of the special project funds or goes to meet a smaller definite need of the college. There are no set dues but we can finance our program and make a worthy gift each year to either the college or the special funds if the average contribution is \$5.00 per alumna.

You are now alumnae—members of the Westhampton College Alumnae Association. We welcome you into this larger family and hope that you will feel such a part of it that you will want immediately to be a working member. We will appreciate your interest, participation and contributions!

Cordially yours,

MARTHA J. ELLIOTT, '39.
President.

The Mothers' Club of Omicron Chapter of Theta Chi fraternity, presented the chapter with a plaque bearing the names of 123 members of the chapter in the armed services. Two of the group, Dr. Lewis T. Stoneburner, III, and John P. Saunders have given their lives in this war.

In honor of the first professor of chemistry, and former Chairman of the Faculty of Richmond College, the University has named the chemistry building "Bennett Puryear Hall." Dr. Puryear's daughter recently bequeathed the University \$50,000 to be used for chemistry fellowships.

Dr. Charles F. Wheeler, III, treasurer of the University, was honored by his alma mater, Washington and Jefferson College, with the honorary Doctor of Science degree at the commencement in June.

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Campus News

Although the war has curtailed many of the campus activities, especially the usual peacetime dance marathon schedule, student life moves along in more or less the usual channel. Westhampton College has developed many activities which dovetail into war activities and they have built many social functions around these projects.

Canteen parties were held during the year to which the Navy V-12 men were invited. Dancing and floor shows provided the entertainment.

Student government on both campuses are active. Richmond College elected Joel Harnett and Westhampton College elected Lillian Belk as president for the coming year.

Honor society elections include . . . into Phi Beta Kappa, three into Omicron, Delta Kappa, twelve into Pi Delta Epsilon, and six into Mortar Board of Westhampton College.

The *Collegian* has been published biweekly during the year with the masthead flying the colors of Westhampton. But the paper has been excellently edited and it continues on with the tradition of the past. Nancy Jane Lazenby will be Westhampton editor for the coming year, and most likely editor-in-chief as no Richmond College appointments were made before the close of the school term.

The *Messenger* staff will be headed by Julia Willis. No *Web* appointments have been made to date but will be announced along with the completed staffs after the opening of school.

Dr. Harold W. Tribble, professor of Theology at the Louisville Seminary, conducted the Religious Emphasis week services.

The old Playhouse has kept the boards warm. Two productions this spring, the annual Players Revue and "My Sister Eileen" proved that there is a lighter side to human nature, even when going all-out for war effort.

The Revue packed them in for one night to a show that may have lacked polish but not enthusiasm of either audience or participants. Songs and dances, and an excellent hot band, coupled with the usual hellzapoppin stunts, filled the bill.

"My Sister Eileen" turned out to be a honey of a comedy for the campus. A good play to start with, the Players were able to bring together a surprising group of actors. Imagine it if you can, but the first night, the SRO sign was out, and people were actually turned away. The Navy V-12 men participated in both productions.

May Day this year was wet. The rain chased the performance indoors but the girls transferred the throne into the gymnasium and the celebration continued as usual. Anne Green, of Bowling Green, was selected as May Queen, with Evermond Hardee, of Florence, S. C., as maid of honor. The May Day Ball was one of the high spots of the college dance year.

At graduation on May 30th, 114 were

awarded degrees at exercises held in the Greek Theatre. Dr. Early L. Fox, of Randolph-Macon College, delivered the Commencement address.

University of Richmond Faculty in the Armed Services

William T. Muse, Law, with Red Cross, in England.

Noah W. Skinner, German, Corporal with an antitank gun unit, in the South Pacific.

Dr. John W. Bailey, Biology, Major with AMG, in England.

Dr. Hugh Myers, Biology, Lieutenant in AAF Medical Research, at Salt Lake City.

Richard E. Scammon, Speech and Mariettes, Lieutenant in Medical Corps, in South Pacific.

Dr. Lewis Ball, English, Sergeant in Army, in England.

John W. Smithers, Law, Lieutenant (jg) with Navy Staff Headquarters.

William S. Cudlipp, Jr., Lieutenant (jg).

Joseph E. Nettles, Navy, in areography school, Lakehurst, N. J.

John Fenlon, Lieutenant (jg), coach, in Navy Physical Fitness, stationed in Texas.

F. Byers Miller, Ensign, Economics, in Florida.

Dr. Thomas E. Lavender, Lieutenant, Romance Languages, skipper of a ship out of New Orleans.

Reuben E. Alley, Ensign, Physics, at M.I.T.

Alvin F. Beale, Chemistry, Navy.

Dean Raymond L. Pinchbeck, Lieutenant, Navy. Officer in charge of the Navy V-12 unit, George Washington University.

Sidney Mathews, History, Corporal, Army, with 5th Army H.Q., Historical Section, in Italy.

Necrology

Benjamin P. Cardozo, '96. Richmond. Died June 20, 1944.

Rev. Floyd W. Putney, D.D., '04, Pastor First Baptist Church, Newport News. Died June 25, 1944.

Herbert F. Williams, '91. Vienna, Va. Died June 30, 1944.

Dr. W. W. Seward, '93. Surry, Va. Died May 4, 1944.

John Currie, M.A., '83. Richmond. Died June 19, 1944.

Bernard W. James, '15, Richmond. Died June 22, 1944.

Rev. Samuel K. Phillips, '07. Columbia, S. C. Died May 22, 1944.

Alumnae Homecoming

On May 27th, approximately one hundred Westhampton alumnae, who lived near enough to the college not to tax public transportation, returned to the campus for a full program of events on Alumnae Day.

The speakers at the morning symposium at 11:30 were Helen Monsell, '16 and Emily Gardner, '18. Miss Monsell, who has won fame as a writer of historical books for children and recently as the author of the novel *In Her Own Hands*, spoke on the subject *From Remunerative Employment to Jobs*. This was a witty and at the same time instructive comparison of opportunities and conditions in the business world for women in the '90's and today. Dr. Gardner, who after a long period of study and preparation both in this country and abroad, is now one of Richmond's leading pediatricians, discussed *Advances in Medicine During the War*. The timeliness of the subject and the keen interest in it displayed by Dr. Gardner caught and held the undivided attention of the audience.

The luncheon in the Tearoom was followed by the annual busi-

ness meeting at which Sadie Engelberg, Elizabeth Fleet, and Mayme O'Flaherty were elected members-at-large of the Governing Board. A report of the year's activities was given, and the winner of the Elizabeth Hoover cup for the class having the highest per cent of contributors to the Alumnae Fund was announced. The class of '42 won first place, with the classes of '22 and '39 winning second and third places respectively. The class secretaries were highly commended for their part in arousing interest in the Fund among their classmates. By the end of the day the Fund had totalled more than \$1,500.00, a most gratifying increase over former years.

The Alumnae-Senior Banquet at 6:30 that evening was followed by a musicale, at which two alumnae who are outstanding musicians were the artists. Mayme O'Flaherty, pianist, and Florence Lowe, contralto, gave a recital in the Reception Room of the Social Center Building which struck just the right note as a fitting end to the day's activities.

UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND

THE Winter Session of the University opens September 14. Present outlook is for capacity attendance at Westhampton College. The Navy quota of 400 V-12 trainees will be full. Most of the students of Richmond College will be in the freshman and sophomore classes, but courses will be available for upperclassmen, so far as they may be required. All professional departments will be open.

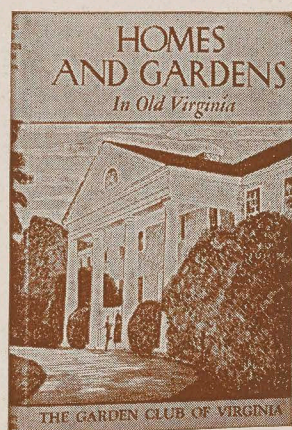
Dr. B. C. Holtzclaw is Dean of the Graduate division and Acting Dean of Richmond College. Dr. May L. Keller is Dean of Westhampton College. The Deans have charge of matriculation and also of assignment of dormitory rooms. Early application for room is desirable. Other Deans are: Law School, Dr. M. Ray Doubles; Business Administration, Dr. Geo. M. Modlin; Summer School, Professor W. L. Prince. Application for catalogues and other information will receive prompt attention. P. O. University of Richmond, Va.

The Bill for postwar education of men and women who have been in the armed services has passed Congress and been signed by the President. It provides that a veteran who entered the service before he was twenty-five and is reasonably well prepared for college studies is entitled to one year in college at government expense. The Government will pay up to \$500 for his tuition and college fees for the school year and \$50 to \$75 a month for his living expenses. Longer service will entitle him to as much as four years in college. Cost of education is no problem to the veteran and he may select his college in his home state or elsewhere. The University of Richmond is making preparation both in academic and professional courses to welcome qualified veterans and will make for them the best possible provision.

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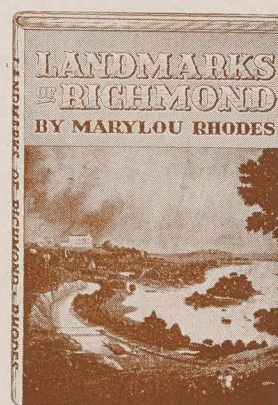
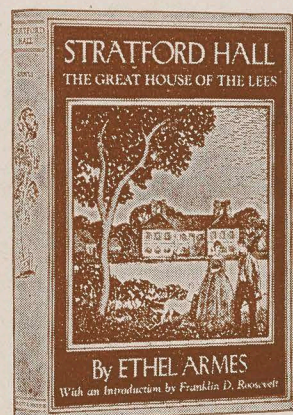
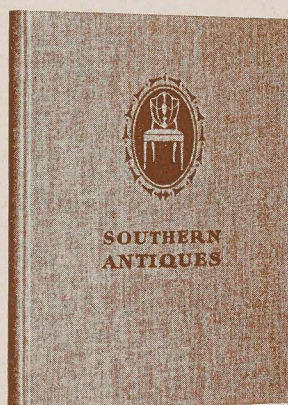
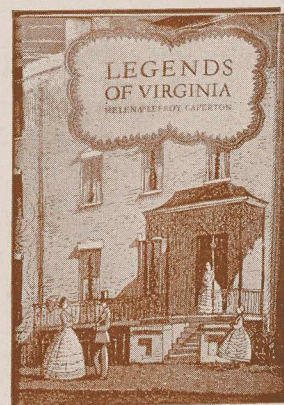
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